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OPERATORS DISPOSED TO ACCEPT PLAN

Union Men, However, Considering Rejection of Garfield's Proposal of Fourteen Per Cent Increase in Wages—Say Operators Offered More.

Washington, Nov. 27.—With a majority apparently in favor of accepting the proposal of Fuel Administrator Garfield that wages of miners be increased 14% without any increase in the price of coal to the consumer, bituminous coal operators from all parts of the country went into session here today to discuss the government's offer.

MINERS WORKERS OPPOSE.
Officials of the United Mine Workers of America were not to meet until late in the day, but apparently there was little change of sentiment among them in opposition to the fuel administrator's proposal. The union men still were seriously considering a rejection of the offer and a continuance of the strike which already has brought about a national coal crisis.

Fuel Situation Grows Desperate
Chicago, Nov. 27.—Already feeling or in the grasp of a coal shortage much of the country today was confronted with the prospect of further steadily emptying fuel bins as real winter weather drove down autumn temperatures that had prevailed for several days. Efforts of the government to bring about an agreement between the miners' representatives and operators at Washington held out little hope. Miners generally were agreed there would be little work done under the offer of Fuel Administrator Garfield of a 14 per cent wage increase and protection for those miners who cared to return to work.

OPERATORS OFFERED MORE.
The miners said the government's offer was less than that of 20 per cent made voluntarily by the operators last week. To this the operators replied that the 20 per cent increase was based expressly on an expected increase in the price of coal. Some miners believed a convention of the United Mine Workers' representatives possibly would be called to pass finally on the matter.

SOME OPERATORS OBJECT.
Some of the operators' apparently were no more willing than the miners to accept the government's offer holding that the increased wages without an increase in coal prices would be unwise and would result in the closing of a number of mines.

DISCARDS WILSON PLAN.

Washington, Nov. 27.—A government plan for settling the coal strike which embodied a 14 per cent wage increase for miners and the stipulation that there should be no increase in the price paid by the public, was laid before miners and operators Wednesday night by Fuel Administrator Garfield.

John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America, announced that the miners would not accept.

William Green, secretary of the United Mine Workers, declared Wednesday would be the end of all negotiations as "the operators are opposed to granting any increase, and the miners cannot proceed on the figures given by Dr. Garfield."

REMINISCES WILSON PLAN.

The miners' refusal to accept, was taken by the operators to be definite. Thomas T. Brewster, chairman of the coal operators' association, declared the Garfield 14 per cent statement formally eliminated Secretary Wilson's proposal for a 31 per cent increase.

There was a sharp note of protest from the miners over the amount of the increase, which was much lower than they had expected. Frank Parrington, president of the Illinois district of miners, was quoted when he declared that union men in his state would not accept it.

EXPLAINS OFFER.

In explaining his statement at the joint conference, Dr. Garfield said that in computing the wage advance, he had accepted Secretary Wilson's estimate of 23 per cent increase in the cost of living since 1913, which was the highest estimate made by any body.

Dr. Garfield declared that miners today were receiving higher wages without the 14 per cent increase than any other class of workers in the country. He said that the lowest wages paid to miners was \$1.75 a day, and that working 200 days a year, the average annual return amounted to \$350.

NOT TO FORCE WORK.

In the midst of a sharp cross-fire of questions, Frank Parrington, president of the Illinois district of United Mine Workers, asked Dr. Garfield if the miners would be regarded as "outlaws" if they did not return to work.

The government has never attempted to compel men to work against their will but every protection will be afforded miners willing to return to the mines, Dr. Garfield replied.

Dr. Garfield said his statement was not a proposal, but a statement of facts.

LEWIS FOR WILSON.

Lewis, jumping to his feet at the conclusion of the Fuel Administrator's statement, wanted to know what had become of the proposal by Secretary Wilson.

"The miners came to Washington," Lewis said, "at the request of Secretary Wilson, who is authorized under the law to arbitrate disputes. We understood that he represented the cabinet and indirectly the President himself. Acting in this official capacity Secretary Wilson offered the miners an increase of 31 and 6-10 per cent."

"Does the government intend to repudiate the act of its authorized agent or abide by it?"

GARFIELD'S POWER.
"There is no gentleman in the cabinet I respect more than Secretary Wilson," Dr. Garfield replied. "His powers are clearly defined. Among other things his duties are to effect conciliation. But under the labor act the President was empowered to

Garfield's Statement

Washington, Nov. 27.—Dr. Garfield's statement to the joint conference of miners and operators follows:

"On the 24th instant, I announced that the public must not be asked to pay more than it is now paying for coal, unless it is necessary to do so in order to provide reasonable wages to the mine workers, and a reasonable profit to the operators. Careful investigation forces me to the conclusion that, in accordance with this, and the other principles set forth on the 24th instant, the public ought not be required to pay an increase in coal prices at this time.

"The prices fixed by the government on coal were calculated to increase production for war purposes. Coal was basic and the increase in production was imperative. The operators are now in receipt of margins which were necessary to effect that increase of production, but which are larger than are required under present conditions. It was estimated that the production needed for 1918 was six hundred million tons. The estimate for 1919 is 600,000,000 tons.

"Applying the principles set forth in paragraph two of the statement of November 24 when the average increase in wages since 1913 for the various classes of mine workers are deducted from the increase in the cost of living since that time, we arrive at the amount of additional increase in wages justifiable at the present time.

"I have taken the figures of the bureau of labor statistics for both cost of living and for the weighted average of wage increases. According to these figures the cost of living has risen 73.3 per cent since 1913, and the amount necessary to bring the average wages of mine workers to this point at the present time is 14 per cent.

"Readjustments heretofore made since 1913 were such as to give certain classes of mine workers an average increase in excess of the increase in the cost of living, and certain others an average increase below the increase in the cost of living. This form of adjustment was made in order to establish or preserve certain relative bases in the mining industry. I do not think this condition, however, ought to result in giving to mine workers as a whole, and in consequence imposing upon the public a total average increase in excess of the total average increase in the cost of living, because if this course be adopted, the result would be that the total increased burden placed upon the mining industry would be far in excess of the increase in the cost of living. If this principle were applied in industries generally it is obvious that the resulting cost would be passed along to the general public, and the increased wages would increase in a rapid spiral taking as a minimum the percentage of increase in the cost of living. In the long run, this would add many new and serious burdens to the cost of living of the entire public and would fall more injuriously upon the working classes than upon any others.

"It seems to me that the reasonable way to deal with this situation is to give to the industry as a whole an average increase commensurate with the increase in the cost of living and then let that amount of increase be apportioned in accordance with the wage bases that are acceptable to the employers and the employees.

"Control of prices by the government would be maintained for the present.

"The present negotiation stands by itself, but it is far from disposing of the fundamental controversy between operators and mine workers. That controversy is bound to be a continuing one as matters now stand. It involves living conditions and conditions in the mines, as well as wages and profits, and the general relation between operators and mine workers. Therefore, to aid in applying the principles which have governed us and which should govern in reaching conclusions in the future, it is urged that a permanent consultative body, with purely advisory powers, be set up consisting of the secretary of the interior as chairman and of an equal number of representatives of the operators and of the mine workers chosen in such manner as they may each determine from time to time. In order that the data necessary for the consideration of this consultative body may at all times be available it is urged that the congress make provision for collecting definite and trustworthy information concerning the coal and coke industry, and for the tabulation of the same in quarterly reports showing:

(1) Production, distribution, storage and stocks of coal and coke;

(2) The cost of production and distribution and of maintaining suitable stocks, and any other data concerning the industry deemed necessary;

(3) The cost of living in the several coal fields;

(4) The selling prices and profits obtained by the operators, middlemen, and retail dealers;

(5) Export requirements and the conditions limiting them.

"The settlement of the present controversy on the wage and price basis above indicated, must be considered in the light of the proposal to set up this permanent consultative body. While it will not have powers of decision, it will hardly seem possible to a reasonable man that, in the light of its conclusions, demands for exorbitant profits or unreasonable wages can be successfully maintained, or that conditions unfavorable to the American standard of living will be tolerated."

STATE DEPARTMENT GETS NO ANSWER

Washington, Nov. 27.—Mexico's note refusing to comply with the state department's recent demand for the release of William O. Jenkins, the American consular agent imprisoned at Puebla on a charge that he conspired with the bandits who kidnapped and held him for ransom, had not been received in Washington early today. The only information officials had that a reply had been sent was contained in press dispatches last night.

DELIBERATE ATTEMPT.
Some officials have expressed belief that the Mexican Government's delay in replying to the American note, sent more than a week ago, demanding release of William O. Jenkins, consular agent at Puebla, was part of a deliberate plan to still further antagonize the United States.

SAY JENKINS WAIVED RIGHTS

(By The Associated Press)

Mexico City, Nov. 27.—Belief that the relations of friendship between Mexico and the United States "cannot be affected unfavorably" by the refusal to take steps looking to the release of William O. Jenkins, United States consular agent from the point of view of the American demand for his release, was expressed in the note replying to the American demand for Mr. Jenkins' liberty sent by the Mexican embassy late yesterday.

JENKINS WAIVED RIGHTS.

After reviewing the case, the reply pointed out the judge at Puebla who ordered Mr. Jenkins' detention had acted within his powers and that the latter had waived his legal rights in refusing to give bail. Only when justice is denied, the note asserted, can one nation demand the release of a subject who is imprisoned in another country. It is declared that the Mexican law does not contemplate interference by the executive branch of the government in operations of the judiciary and that, even in the United States, the government is powerless to act in a case until state courts render decision.

EXPECTED.

Little surprise was caused by the attitude assumed by the Mexican government, as statements by officials during the last week have reflected sentiment adverse to according to the American demand.

Mr. Jenkins was abducted on Oct. 22 by a band of outlaws under command of Federico Cordova and held at the latter's hacienda in the mountains south of Puebla until a ransom of \$150,000 in gold was paid. This sum was handed to the bandits about a week later and Mr. Jenkins was released, the payment being made by Senor Mestre, who has been Mr. Jenkins' attorney. The Mexican government later refused to refund the amount of the ransom, a suggestion that was made from Washington.

ACCESSORY?

Soon after Mr. Jenkins' release, his attorney was charged with being an accessory of his principal's abduction and later all correspondence in Mr. Jenkins' possession was seized and he was placed under surveillance on a charge of having conspired with Cordova for the carrying out of an allegedly false abduction. He was placed under constructive arrest, but was not actually incarcerated until Nov. 19 when he was confined in Puebla penitentiary by a judge before whom allegations were made that Jenkins had made false statements and had threatened persons who were prepared to testify that they had seen Mr. Jenkins in company with Cordova after the former had been released by the bandit chief.

**VILLISTAS PLAN TO
AVENGE ANGELES**

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 27.—Persistent rumors of the hatching of a vendetta plot by Villa elements in the state of Chihuahua, following the execution of General Felipe Angeles, noted rebel leader, at Chihuahua City yesterday, reached the border today.

Everyone connected with the trial of the Villa chieftain has been marked for vengeance, according to the reports. Francisco Villa, the ally of Angeles, plans to start immediately upon his campaign of reprisals, Chihuahua City being his objective point, it is said.

Bandits were already said to have occurred in Chihuahua City, but no confirmation of these rumors was obtainable here. Consul General Andres A. Garcia of Mexico said he had heard nothing of any outbreak at the capital.

Meanwhile, preparations were being made at thearrison in Juarez to prevent any disorders of the border. Juarez police have orders to keep strict watch on all suspicious characters, and a strong patrol is maintained on the streets.

NEWS SUMMARY

Peking — Mongolia, through its princely and Japanese, has petitioned the Chinese government to take over the political and diplomatic control of Mongolia.

Blomberg, N. D.—After the Senate late yesterday had passed the federal suffrage amendment 43 to 30, the special session of the North Dakota legislature adjourned over the Thanksgiving holiday until Friday when the measure is expected to be acted upon by the House.

SAYS OPERATORS OBSCURE ISSUE

McAdoo Declares They Are Using "Smoke Screen."

New York, Nov. 27.—Bituminous coal operators were accused of obscuring the issue and again challenging to produce their income tax returns by William C. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, in a formal answer yesterday to their telegram criticizing his earlier statement that they made "shocking and indefensible profits in 1917" and should not be allowed to increase prices of coal.

SMOKE SCREENS.

"The statement in your telegram," said his reply, addressed to the operators' committee at Washington and made public here, "that the average margin per ton of all coal mined in 1918 was 46 cents has no bearing upon the issue. These averages are frequently used as convenient smoke screens to obscure the facts. The question is what were the profits on the capital employed by the mine owners regardless of the average profit that may have been earned on each ton of coal."

400 RESPOND TO GOVERNOR'S APPEAL

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 27.—By 9 a. m. today more than four hundred men had responded to Governor H. J. Allen's call for volunteer coal diggers. The applicants are sending in names in groups, representing organizations by parties formed in various towns, some of them in the coal fields and by individuals.

From Wichita came a telegram stating that the American Legion post of that city has two hundred men signed up and ready to go at once.

Among the volunteers were the owners of five steam shovels, who offered their entire outfits which the governor said would add very materially to the coal digging possibilities. A steam shovel, he said, was capable of uncovering from 300 to 400 tons of coal in a strip mine a day.

"Judging from the early responses, I would say that we will have four or five thousand applications," said the governor this morning. "The state is listing the applicants and making preparations for transportation. We expect to begin putting the men to work by Saturday or Monday."

MORE MINERS OUT.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 27.—More miners went out in Kanawha field today, according to reports reaching the Kanawha Coal Operators' association. Two mines of the Columbia Iron and Steel company were closed because the men failed to report for work, and less important operations were said to be idle.

CONSIDERED STRIKE BREAKERS

Pittsburgh, Kan., Nov. 27.—Volunteer workers who came into the Kanawha coal fields to dig coal under the state recovery plan will be considered strike-breakers, Thomas Harvey, secretary-treasurer of the Kanawha miners, announced this morning.

**5 POUNDS RICE
BUYS A WIFE
IN MONGOLIA**

(By The Associated Press)

Paris, Wednesday, Nov. 20.—Because he had neither captured nor purchased his bride, according to the traditional custom of Mongolia, a young French diplomat assigned to a post in the Far East had his marriage with an American actress annulled by the French courts yesterday.

The diplomat met the American in Shanghai and after a short courtship they eloped to Mongolia, where they were married before a Belgian Catholic missionary. Their idyll was short lived as the American girl, according to her husband's story, remained only a few days before departing without leaving any address. The court held that the marriage was not valid, as French law requires Frenchmen marrying abroad to have the ceremony performed before a French diplomatic officer or "according to the usages of the country in which the marriage is performed."

In Mongolia there are only two modes of marriage consecrated by tradition—capture and purchase. The cost of a wife varies from five camels for a young girl to thirty or forty camels for an older widow, the latter being quoted higher than all other classes. In statements relative to prices obtained in select circles of Mongolian society it was brought out in court that a wife may be bought for five pounds of rice in that country.

**ADVISES ENGLAND
KEEP POWDER DRY**

Melbourne, Australia, Nov. 27.—Joseph Hume Cook, minister of the navy in a speech today at Albany said that while he wholeheartedly supported the league of nations, he thought Great Britain should keep its powder dry. The empire, he declared, could not close its eyes to the preparations Japan and America were making in furtherance of their Pacific policy.

CAPITAL OBSERVES THANKSGIVING DAY

Washington, Nov. 27.—Thanksgiving day was observed generally in Washington today with government departments closed and many officials absent. Secretary Daniels and many high naval officials attended the navy championship football game here, but other cabinet officers who were in town had no special plans for the day.

LABOR CONFERENCE WORKS

Washington, Nov. 27.—Delegates to the International Labor conference only partially observed Thanksgiving day. They convened at the usual hour, but with the understanding that they would adjourn early in the afternoon. The only American delegate in the conference has no vote because of the position of the United States before the league of nations, and the representatives of other countries saw no reason for joining in the day's celebration.

Mr. Masumoto, labor delegate from Japan, speaking today in the International Labor conference, characterized his government as an "autocracy which is the enemy of social justice."

STEEL WORKERS ON JOB.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 27.—Many mills in the Pittsburgh district, including numbers of those affected by the steel strike, were in operation today, workers and managers manifesting no disposition to observe the holiday. Clerical forces, however, were allowed to leave their offices at noon.

BULGARIA SIGNS TREATY OF PEACE

Must Pay Indemnity of \$445,000,000.

Paris, Nov. 27.—M. Stamboulsky, premier of Bulgaria, signed the treaty of peace between this country and the allied powers at the Neuilly town hall at 10:10 o'clock this morning.

GLOOMY.

The simple staging of the ceremony and the cloudy skies combined with the probable inadvertent but complete omission of Bulgaria's delegate at the peace table, spread a sort of gloom over the proceedings.

All the other delegates were in their places when M. Stamboulsky was announced at 10:10 o'clock. Two minutes later the first signature had been appended to the treaty of Neuilly.

Frank L. Polk, American under-secretary of state, Henry White and General Tasker H. Bliss signed for the United States.

"TREATY OF NEUILLY"

The ceremony was finished at 11:05 and at 11:10 M. Stamboulsky accompanied by his attaches, left the building. He was greeted by the guard of honor and remained uncovered as he passed the line of troops. His bearing throughout the ceremony seemed to reflect consciousness on his part of the distinction made between this event and the preceding ceremonies. It was explained there was no intended slight in the selection of the modest mayor's office for the ceremony, but that it was thought necessary to give the treaty a different name than the others. Hence as no convenient place was available within easy distance of Paris, it was decided the document should be called the "Treaty of Neuilly."

Mayor's office was selected as the best available place for the signature. The covenant of the league of nations is incorporated in the treaty.

By the conditions of the treaty which was signed this morning at the Neuilly town hall, Bulgaria is called upon to surrender all works of art and valuables taken from allied countries during the war and to pay an indemnity of approximately \$445,000,000. Bulgaria is deprived of Thrace and also loses Strumitsa, a small triangular section of territory, the latter being assigned to Serbia. Proposals which would give Bulgaria a corridor through Thrace to the Aegean are left to the future disposition of the allied governments. The boundary between Roumania and Bulgaria is changed in only minor details.

Compulsory military service in Bulgaria is abolished by the treaty terms, the Bulgarian army being limited to 20,000 men with a gendarmerie, or police force, not exceeding 10,000. All arms and ammunition, exceeding the amount laid down by the treaty shall be turned over to the allies. A commission composed of allied representatives is given power to punish crimes committed by Bulgarians during the war and also deal with the repatriation of prisoners.

**ARRAIGNS CONGRESS
FOR WASTING TIME**

Washington, Nov. 27.—Hon. R. C. Cummings, chairman of the Democratic National committee last night arraigned congress for its failure to enact at the extraordinary session the reconstruction program outlined by Republican leaders.

Mr. Cummings said the house had "frittered" away its time in "fruitless investigations of war activities," and that the record in the senate was even "more discreditable," as it had occupied six months in "sterile" debate without being able to say "yes" or "no" to the peace treaty.

GETS LIBERTY, THEN TAKEN FOR MURDER

Springfield, Nov. 27.—Ernest T. Adams, released from the Chester penitentiary yesterday on a writ of habeas corpus, was taken to Havana Ill., today, where he will be arraigned for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. John Becker at Mason City, Dec. 16, 1918. Mr. and Mrs. Becker were shot and their home set on fire to hide the crime. Adams denies his guilt. He has been serving a sentence on a charge of forgery. A son of the murdered couple was found not guilty after a trial a year ago.

**SNOW INTERFERES
WITH RAIL TRAFFIC**

Denver, Colo., Nov. 27.—With the temperature making a gradual drop from ten degrees above zero yesterday morning to seven below early today, Denver is experiencing the cold weather of the winter. The cold weather was accompanied by a snow fall which seriously interfered with the passenger train schedules between Denver and points east, the entire territory between this city and Omaha, Topeka and Sioux City being covered to a depth of several feet, according to bulletins received at local railroad offices. According to weather bureau, no immediate relief was in prospect.

**TRAVELERS MUST
PROVE VACCINATION**

Toronto, Nov. 27.—More than 800 cases of small pox in mild form in Ontario, have been reported to the ministry of health. About one-half of these are in Toronto.

All travelers in New York and Michigan must show certificates that they have been vaccinated with one month.

**PERSHING'S TOUR
BEGINS DECEMBER 3**

Washington, Nov. 27.—The itinerary of Gen. Pershing's inspection tour of cantonments and posts beginning Dec. 3, shows the trip will cover completely the manufacturing and training machinery created during the months of war. More than 100 camps, aviation fields and ammunition plants will be visited in order that Gen. Pershing may be able to recommend to Secretary Baker a comprehensive plan for maintaining adequate facilities to back up the military establishment.

**FOUR OF MURDER
GANG HELD TO JURY**

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Four of the alleged members of the gang of seven Italians arrested for being implicated in many recent robberies and murders here, were ordered held to the grand jury, one on a charge of murder, and three as accessories to murder, at a coroner's inquest yesterday into the death of Albert Kullanza, shot in the hold-up of a pool room recently.

**"FLU" SCOURGE
AGAIN EPIDEMIC**

Madrid, Wednesday, Nov. 26.—Influenza is again epidemic at Linares, dispatches stating that there are at present more than 2,000 ill from the disease in the city.

**PROSECUTION OF
SCHOOL BOARD**

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Prosecution of members of the Chicago Board of education, with one exception, on charges of malfeasance in connection with the board's action yesterday in virtually stripping Dr. Charles E. Chaddsey, the superintendent of all administrative authority, which led to his resignation today, State Attorney Hoyne announced last night would be instituted at once.

Dr. Chaddsey, who was ousted by the board several months ago, recently was reinstated by order of the court.

Dr. Chaddsey, whose friends said he had been "forced out of office" in his letter of resignation declared the action of the board was "criminally illegal and in open defiance of the courts," and that he was willing to aid in prosecution.

**900 VOTE TO CALL
OFF STEEL STRIKE**

Youngstown, O., Nov. 27.—That a committee of employees of the Brown-Bell mill of the Republic Iron and Steel company, of which he is chairman, had voted to call off the strike and return to work was the statement made by James Thomas, 116 said about 900 men were affected.

An official of the plant said that the plant would not be started until the coal shortage ends.

No attempt to oppose the recent city order against meetings was made by strikers last night, police reported, though a meeting had been scheduled. The city administration remains firm in its stand despite protests by the central labor union.

**LOSS IS \$25,000
IN DUBUQUE FIRE**

Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 27.—Fire of unknown origin Wednesday destroyed the three-story building occupied by the G. A. Grimm Drug company. Near by structures housing the Kroger Five and Ten Cent store and the Schmitt Shoe company were severely damaged. The loss is estimated at \$25,000.

DOES NOT KNOW HUSBAND DEAD

Wife of Executed General III in New York.

New York, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Felipe Angeles, wife of the Mexican revolutionary leader, was still in ignorance today of his execution. Mrs. Carmen Delarosa, her sister, declared that she had been so ill that even the news of his arrest by the Carranza forces had been withheld.

SON GETS MESSAGE.

Alberto, the general's twenty-year old son, today made public a telegram from his father, dated Tuesday afternoon. It read:

"Let the family know that I am serene and contented. I hope that you will be a good man, a patriot and a hard worker. I want you to love your mother, sister and brothers very much. Kisses and embraces."

"FELIPE ANGELES"

BELIEVE METEOR FELL INTO LAKE

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 27.—That a meteor plunged into Lake Michigan last night causing earth tremors felt in a dozen southern Michigan cities and sending a pillar of flame hundreds of feet into the air, which was visible for a radius of more than fifty miles, was the theory generally accepted today in explanation of the earth shock which at first was believed to have been caused by an explosion at some industrial plant.

From reports from various Michigan, Indiana and Illinois cities where the shock was visible, it appeared the center of disturbances was near the lower end of Lake Michigan. Coast guards at Grand Haven were firm in their assertion that they had witnessed the descent of the heavenly body and evidence was given their story by the absence of reports of any industrial disaster.

Residents of Battle Creek, Kalamazoo, South Bend, Grand Haven and other western Michigan cities filed their homes fearing an earthquake. Houses were shaken, the country was illuminated to such an extent that it was impossible to tell from which direction the flames came. The earthquake trembled half a moment, then a deep prolonged rumbling, a sort of explosion.

The rumblings were heard as far as South Bend and Laporte, Ind., while the flash of light was said to have been visible at Chicago.

**STILL DISCUSSING
HINES' PROPOSITION**

Cleveland, Nov. 27.—Director-General of Railroads Walker D. Hines' offer of time and one-half for slow freight service was discussed during the fourth day conference of the general chairman of the four railroad brotherhoods here today.

The conference was called to discuss the overtime offer of the director-general, but it was learned the whole question of the relation of railroads' wages to the cost of living and to the wages of other railway workers has been thoroughly debated during the two days meeting.

Bring the Children to Toyland

Thousands of beautiful toys and dolls are here for them to see. Choose early, before assortments are broken.

—Basement

Linn & Scruggs

Have Holiday Engraving Done Now

on Christmas greetings, or on calling cards for gifts. The time required to do this work makes early orders very necessary.

—Main Floor,

Here, You'll Say Is An Unusually Interesting, Quite Extraordinary ECONOMY FRIDAY

AND, voluminous as this announcement of Economy Friday is, you'll find it profitable to read every line of it. We never have announced an Economy Friday that gave us more pleasure than this one, for there's a certain satisfaction in preparing a message which is jammed full of opportunities as this one is.

With Christmas in the offing, you will find it time well spent to check these Friday offerings carefully, for among them are many, many things admirably suitable for gifts.

Economy Friday— Specials In Veils

Veils that are pleasing to the eye of those who view them from the "outside," veils that give comfort to the wearer; veils that add an unmistakable touch of smartness to any costume.

Such are the veils which are offered here at specially reduced prices for Friday. Attend—

\$1.98 veils are \$1.35.
\$2.49 veils are \$1.79
\$2.98 veils are \$2.19.

—Main Floor, Third Aisle

Economy Friday— Petticoats at \$1.25

These women's petticoats are made of a very good grade of black sateen, and show the very best workmanship in every detail. They are priced unusually low at \$1.25 each.

—Second Floor, Center

Dresser Scarfs, 59c

One special group of pretty lace trimmed dresser scarfs in a number of attractive effects, suitable especially for Christmas gifts. A very special Friday value at, each

59c

—Main Floor, East Aisle

Imagine Anything More Timely Than This
Friday Sale of

Satin and Fur Hats at \$5.00



Just when these smart hats are most in demand, comes this Friday offering, making it possible for you to buy the very prettiest models at a very, very low price.

There's a number of very distinctive shapes—enough to enable every woman and young woman to choose something to her liking, and yet unlike what every other woman is wearing.

Finest Satins, Trimmed With
Stylish Furs

form the "ensemble" of these delightfully smart creations.

Simple as you please, and pretty as only simplicity may be. They're here in black, brown, and taupe.

The value is very special at

\$5.00

—Second Floor, Center

Economy Friday Special— Two-Toned Checks For Dresses \$1

These are very stylish, very durable, half wool and half cotton materials, eminently suitable for dresses for women or children.

They're here in combinations of brown-and-tan, blue-and-tan, and green-and-tan. Full 42 inches wide—an exceptional Friday value at,

\$1.00 A Yard

—Main Floor, Second Aisle



Girl's Hats at 79c

These are winter hats, made of materials which are not only good looking, but very comfortable. Sizes for girls of from 2 to 6 years. Special for Friday at 79c each.

—Second Floor

Economy Friday— Ostrich Wool 8c Ball

This is the genuine Golden Fleece Ostrich Wool, so much in demand now for use as trimmings for scarfs, making children's muffs and for collars and cuffs. White, black, chinchilla, light blue, pink; regular 25c quality, a ball

8c

—Main Floor, East Aisle



Very Important! For Friday Only— All Suits Formerly Selling Up To and Including \$65—Choice, \$33.98

There's a great deal we could say about this offering. Nothing we can say will prove as convincing as the suits themselves, at Friday's unusual reduction.

In advance, we'll tell you that these garments are the cream of the season's suit productions. The styles are the very newest—the materials, colors and patterns those most in demand.

In the collection are suits of—

Silvertones
Serges

Wool Velours
Broadcloths

Tricotines
Fancy weaves

and many other highly desirable materials, in the latest colors of the season.

This offering is typically a Linn & Scruggs offering—genuine! It presents a saving opportunity quite out of the ordinary. Most women will recognize it as such, and the demand is sure to be great.

So haste is strongly advised. Every suit in stock, formerly priced up to and including \$65—

Friday Only
\$33.98

Selling Opens
at 9:00 A. M.

Don't Miss
This Chance

Economy Friday— Christmas Card Special

15 assorted Christmas cards, with envelopes, in a neat box; fine steel die printed cards — Friday special

25c A Box

—Main Floor, East Aisle

Economy Friday— 35c Stationery at 18c

One special group of dainty stationery, in white, pink, blue, buff, and helio. 24 envelopes and 24 sheets of note paper to the box. A dainty Christmas gift, and a real 35c value—Friday special

18c A Box

—Main Floor, East Aisle

Economy Friday— 98c Bag Frames at 69c

Metal frames in pretty embossed effects, and in the newest shapes. Many folks are buying them now to attach to bags which will later be given as gifts. Friday, you'll buy the 98c kind for

69c

—Main Floor, Third Aisle

Economy Friday— Sale of Neckwear, 98c



We can say that this neckwear is dainty, smart, beautiful. And then we've fallen far short of describing it. It's the most wonderful neckwear we've ever shown at the same low price.

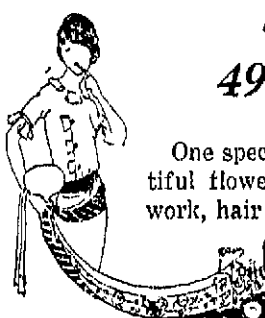
Collars of fillet, each pattern carefully and tastefully designed, and in variety large enough to enable you to select the style that goes best with your gown.

Whether you wish a collar for your own use, or for an inexpensive yet pretty Christmas gift, don't miss these at

98c

—Main Floor, Third Aisle

Economy Friday— 49c Ribbons at 24c

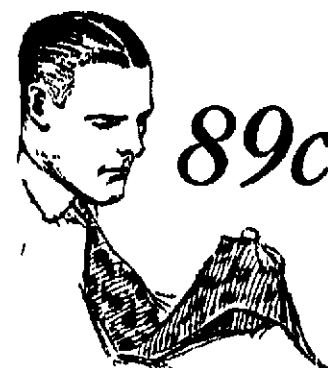


One special group of fancy ribbons—beautiful flowered effects, suitable for fancy work, hair bows, sashes, etc. Good, wide ribbons, actually worth 35c, 39c and 49c—Friday,

24c

—Main Floor, Third Aisle

Economy Friday— Men's Ties at



89c

89c Each

—Main Floor, Main Aisle

Hair-Beauty Shop



Wavy Ear Puffs at \$4

Girls! don't miss this opportunity to secure these lovely ear puffs at this specially low price.

Ear puffs are quite the thing now, you know, and seldom are they priced so lowly.

Just for Economy Friday are they offered at \$4.00.

—Second Floor

Economy Friday— Angora Scarfs at \$9.98

And they represent a very special value, if you please, for the regular prices of these scarfs range up to \$11.98. Good assortment of colors and combinations; very effective when worn with the suit; also very warm.

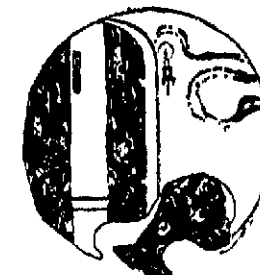
Friday only \$9.98



—Main Floor, Main Aisle

Beautiful Patterns in

75c to \$1 Cretonnes, at 39c a Yard



These cretonnes are but one item from many now offered in the third floor sale of Curtains and Decorative Fabrics.

With cretonnes at the height of popularity as home decorations, such an offering as this is decidedly out of the ordinary. It takes on added importance when one considers the good qualities and rare patterns presented at this price.

New English block effects, Japanese designs bird patterns, flowered cretonnes, and many others, in prettiest color combinations, and worth 75c to \$1 a yard, may be had Friday at, a yard.

—Third Floor



Economy Friday Special—

Smart Boots at \$4.95

A very exceptional value is represented in these boots at this price, and the woman who takes advantage of it will have much to be thankful for.

Two Special Groups

One consists of a fine kid boot in field mouse shade, with cloth top to match. The heel is 2 1/4-inch Cuban. Good, substantial sole; a beautifully fashioned and very desirable boot.

Another group is made up of fine gray kid boots, with flexible turned soles, and full Louis XV heels. Very fashionable, and desirable also because of their excellent quality and workmanship.

\$4.95 A Pair

This offer is for Friday only, and because of its unusual character, we feel that there is every reason for you to make early selections.

—Second Floor, South

Economy Friday Only— Room Lot Wall Paper Sale

Here's an opportunity to secure paper for the average sized room at a price almost ridiculously low.

In each of these room lots there is enough sidewall, ceiling and border papers to cover one room and the real values range from \$2.00 to \$3.00 per bundle. Just for Friday, these room lots are offered at \$1.45 each

Note: It is well to bear in mind that when we hold a room-lot wall paper sale the demand is invariably greater than the supply, so be here early for these offerings.

—Third Floor

\$1.50 Rag Rugs, 89c

These are the popular "miss and hit" rag rugs, so much desired for living room, dining room, and bedroom floors. There's a good variety of color combinations, in size 25x50 inches. Regular \$1.50 value for Friday only,

89c

—Third Floor

ILLINOIS DOCTOR PREScribes IT

Says He Has Never Known
Medicine to Produce Re-
sults Like Tanlac.

B. H. Elder, M. D. with offices at 419 Schradzki Building, Peoria, Ill., comes out with his unqualified endorsement of Tanlac.

Dr. Elder graduated from Butler University of Indianapolis, Ind., later took a post graduate course at Rush College, Chicago, and has also studied abroad.

He has been in active practice over forty years—twenty years in Peoria—and is one of the best known physicians of that city.

"So far as my knowledge goes," said Dr. Elder, in an interview recently, "medical science has never produced a medicine that brings results so quick, so sure, and so good as to keep from suffering humanity and I have been prescribing it in my practice for some time with remarkable results."

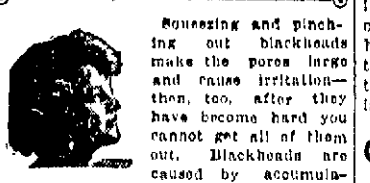
"For years I had suffered from stomach trouble and rheumatism and had tried every best thought, trying to find relief, but all to no avail. After eating, gas would form in my stomach and affect my heart, causing poor circulation, cold hands and feet, dizzy spells, spots before my eyes, peculiar feelings, terrible headaches, and rashes in my stomach. The rheumatism was in my limbs, it was caused by uric acid deposits in the blood, which find their way into the joints, and the pain was so great I could hardly stand to move my legs and arms."

"So, it's no surprise that I devoted lots of time and thought, using all my powers, trying to free myself of these troubles. But nothing I ever found until I got Tanlac afforded me more than a little temporary relief. And here is how I found out the power of Tanlac. I had a patient who had suffered for three days with a kind of troubles and while I did all I could for him, the same as for myself, he failed to improve any. Well, this party came to my office one day, after having been away for about six months, and I never in all my life saw a man look in better health or seem to feel better. He told me that there in my office he told me Tanlac was what brought about the wonderful change. I could not doubt it, for I knew what an awful condition he had been in, and I made up my mind then and there to try Tanlac in my own case. So I did, and the result is that a few bottles relieved me entirely of stomach trouble and rheumatism and all my other ailments as well. I am an extra hearty eater, especially of meats and such foods as often produce acid effects, but none of these things disturb me any more. So now, as I have discovered the value of Tanlac I am ready to honor it as one of the most beneficial of all medicines. I have prescribed it, in cases of rheumatism, kidney and bladder disorders and a run-down condition, with wonderful results. I feel that I ought, for the benefit of suffering humanity, to give my experience with Tanlac to the general public."

Tanlac is sold in Decatur by Decatur Drug Company, in Blue Mound by W. C. Thompson, in Merona by Smeltz-Hobbs Company.

Beauty Answers

By MADAME MARÉE



Pinching and pinching—blackheads make the pores large and cause irritation—then, too, after they have become hard you cannot get all of them out. Blackheads are caused by accumulations of dirt and dirt and secretions from the skin and there is only one safe and sure way and one that never fails to get rid of them—a simple way, too—that is to dissolve them. Just get from any drug store about two ounces of powdered norexin, 50 cents' worth—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet sponge—rub over the blackheads briskly for a few seconds—wash off and you'll be surprised to see that what you thought was a simple powder, has in fact, been a powerful cleanser, and the skin will be left soft and the pores in their natural condition—anyone troubled with these unsightly blemishes should try this simple method.

ALL OUT!—I do not wonder that you are disgusted with the hair tonics commonly sold. But it ever occur to you that you need a real hair grower instead of a hair tonic? Here is a formula which has a wonderful effect upon the cell-growth of hair, and results can be quickly seen in the sprouting of new hairs, in the vigorous growth and lengthening of hair, and in its added lustre and fluffiness. Here is the formula: To half a pint of bay rum add half a pint of water for use. Mix and use a full pint of water—chase it if you wish and to this add one ounce of hair oil, which will cost no more than fifty cents at the drug store.

Mrs. T. C. G.—Cher up! You'll be one of the beauties in the world in a few days. I can promise you that, because your dream of a beautiful complexion will now come true if you do as I say. Thousands have done it; you can do it. It never fails. Stop using all the cheap hair tonics and hair oils. Get the real thing. Stop using all the cheap hair tonics and hair oils. Get the real thing. Stop using all the cheap hair tonics and hair oils. Get the real thing.

SQUEEZED TO DEATH

When the body begins to stiffen and movement becomes painful it is usually an indication that the kidneys are out of order. Keep these organs healthy by taking

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles. Famous since 1896. Take regularly and keep in good health. In three cases, all druggists. Guaranteed as represented. Look for the same Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitations.

55 ENROLL FOR "Y" NIGHT SCHOOL

Committees Work Out Educational Plans.

The recently appointed committee of twenty on R. R. Y. M. C. A. educational work, held its first meeting Tuesday night at The Pines, to map out a program for the winter's work, dealing principally with the resumption of night school classes. These classes may start next week but a definite announcement will be made later.

So far, about fifty-five men and boys have enrolled for these classes. The committee is selected in such a way as to give every large east side industry a representation. It has been divided into three sections to map out certain lines of work and will meet again next Tuesday night.

TO INVESTIGATE
The first division will investigate and make surveys relative to night class activities, including class work, educational lectures, talks in the three railroad Y. M. C. A. buildings, debating clubs, moving pictures, stereopticon lectures and slides. It is probable that a class in chemistry will also be started in this school, which will be of especial interest of course, to the Staley employees.

The second division of the committee will look after a program of day activities, including a program of educational talks in shops at noon hour and also holding moving picture shows. Some east side plants already have rooms for holding shows while others now having such rooms, will probably be asked to arrange for turning over some room for this purpose.

READING ROOMS
The third section will take up the matter of reading rooms in all three of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. buildings, and the furnishing of magazines and books, mostly of a technical nature, and seeing that right magazines are distributed in the right places. This section of the committee will take up with the public library board of the city, the matter of establishing a branch east side library in the Y. M. C. A. Annex at Eldorado and Jasper street, similar to those established in some of the other schools and social centers.

MANY CORPORATIONS NOT RE-INSTATING

Many With Cancelled Charters Have Chance to Renew.

During the years 1903 and 1903 corporations organized not for pecuniary profit, such as athletic and pleasure clubs, benevolent associations, lodges, political clubs, cemetery associations and other corporations of similar character, organized not for pecuniary profit, were required to file annual reports in the office of Secretary of State.

The charters of thousands of such corporations have been cancelled for failure to comply with the provisions of this act. The legislature in 1917 passed an act providing that such corporations having their charters cancelled may reinstate as any time before Jan. 1, 1920, by filing the application for reinstatement in the office of Secretary of State, and paying a fee of \$5.00, but it appears that a majority of these organizations have failed to take advantage of this remedial legislation.

CHRISTMAS CLUB CHECKS OUT SOON

Estimated \$125,000 Will Be Mailed Out December 1.

Checks for the Christmas Savings clubs at the various banks will be mailed out soon after Dec. 1. Most of the clubs finish the year early in December and the banks begin the mailing of the hundreds of checks soon after the first of the month.

It is estimated that \$125,000 has been deposited in these clubs during the year here. A very large percentage of this money saved in this way is turned into the regular savings accounts instead of being spent. Some of it will doubtless be invested in Liberty bonds at their present prices.

METHODIST WORK OF RECONSTRUCTION

Thirty-two Villages in Devastated Area to Be Restored by Church.

Twenty more villages, making a total of thirty-two, in the devastated area about Chateau Thierry and Belleau Wood, have been assigned by the French Ministry of Reconstruction to the Methodist Episcopal

church for exclusive rehabilitation. Many of these villages were completely demolished in the desperate fighting when the American troops stopped the German advance on Paris. This latest assignment brings the number of returning refugees who are now dependent upon the Methodists for many of the necessities of life, up to nearly 10,000. All welfare activities in this area are operated by them.

USE CENTENARY OFFERING.
Funds for this work are to be supplied out of the \$113,000,000 offering of the Methodist Episcopal church. As a part of their world program, the Methodists will spend \$12,500,000 in Europe reconstruction during the next five years. Up to date more than \$500,000 has been spent on temporary relief alone, consisting mainly of food clothing and shoes for war sufferers, exclusive of administrative expenses.

The Methodists have purchased for their headquarters the historic Blenheim Hotel in Chateau Thierry, beside the famous bridge over the Marne which the American troops destroyed to check the advancing Germans. It is situated on the Rue de President Wilson, near the Place des Batailles.

Supper Today
The Ladies Aid Society and the Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church of St. Zion will give their annual Thanksgiving dinner and supper Thursday, Nov. 27, in the church basement.

**Young Men
Don't Get Bald
Cuticura Does Much
To Prevent It**

Dandruff, itching, scalp irritation, etc., point to an unhealthy condition of the scalp, which leads to thin, falling hair and premature baldness. Frequent washings with Cuticura Soap and hot water do much to prevent such a condition, especially if preceded by a gentle anointing with Cuticura Ointment to spots of dandruff and itching.

Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c. Talcom 25c. Sold throughout the world. For analysis, each free. "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 187, Malden, Mass."

Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

Fashions

Suede Makes
Snug Turban
For Winter



BY BETTY BROWN

Here's a hat that seems to say: "The smaller the smarter!" Yet for all its smallness, it is roomy enough to fit snugly at the level of the eyebrows, defying the piercing winds. The hat is of tan suede, with a soft, rounding crown and a brim of the same lines. This brim, however, is most effectively embroidered, and though the embroidery discloses a touch of light blue panne velvet.

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Household

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

When we wash white painted woodwork we like to put about a tablespoon of coal oil into the water, I am speaking of the ordinary white enamel finish.

Use lukewarm water, a soft cloth to wash with and another soft cloth to dry with and rub lightly. The kerosene preserves the gloss and cuts the dirt. Care must be taken to rub the dirt off rather than in. Hard rubbing has a tendency to deepen the finish and work the dirt into the paint, giving it a gray look.

The present fashionable "egg-shell" finish is somewhat of a problem in that it holds dust as a smooth glass paint does not. About two tablespoons of gold-dust in three quarts of lukewarm water will prove quite satisfactory. Wash with a sponge and rub dry with a soft piece of cheese-cloth.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

Breakfast—Stewed prunes, poached eggs, toast, coffee.

Luncheon—Scalloped turkey, brown bread and butter, pickles, tea.

Dinner—Turkey soup with rice, fresh herring, creamed carrots, hot rolls, radishes, fig custard, coffee.

MY OWN RECIPES.

After a turkey dinner it's usually necessary to use up what's left. A certain member of my family objects to "eating turkey for a week," but he

never complains when I make scalloped turkey.

SCALLOPED TURKEY.
2 cups cold turkey diced, 2 tablespoons butter, 1½ tablespoons flour, 1½ cups turkey stock, ¼ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, ¼ cup dried bread crumbs.

Put bones and skin of turkey into a kettle with more than enough cold water to cover. Add one or two outer stalks of celery. Bring to the boiling point and simmer two hours. Use 1½ cups of this stock in the sauce. Butter a baking dish, put in a layer of crumbs. Add the turkey, pour over the sauce made of butter, flour, salt, pepper and stock. Cover with crumbs, dot with bits of butter and bake in a hot oven until crumbs are brown.

TURKEY SOUP WITH RICE.

½ cup rice, 1 teaspoon onion pepper, stock.

Follow recipe for making stock. Steam rice and add to strained soup stock. Season with salt, pepper and onion pepper and let boil gently for ten or fifteen minutes.

FIG CUSTARDS.

½ pound figs, 1 cup cold water, ½ cup hot water, ½ cup sugar, juice 1 teaspoon salt, 1 egg.

Put figs to cook in cold water. Cook until they can be chopped and rubbed through a colander. Mix hot water, sugar, onion juice and add fig pulp. Dilute cornstarch with cold water and stir into mixture. Cook until treatment. Beat the white of one egg till stiff and dry, adding one half egg-shellful of cold water. Beat

hot mixture into eggwhite, adding salt to it before taking from the fire. Pour into small molds, chill and serve with custard sauce made from egg yolk.

Alumina Club Meets.

The high school alumna club, which met Tuesday night, elected the following officers:

President—Mary Peers.
Vice President—Lillian Schultz.
Secretary—Virginia Gray.
Treasurer—Marjorie Scott.
The club will have dinner at 5:15 next Tuesday night in the Y. W. C. A. room.

The Business girls' club will meet at the Y. W. C. A. for dinner at 4:15 Friday night. Following the dinner they will have their club work. Every business girl in the city is invited to join the club.

Hand Sapolio—The Sapolio Toilet Soap

Ideal for Toilet and Bath

Ask Your Barber for LUCKY TIGER

—positively guaranteed to cure any case of dandruff or eczema. World's greatest skin remedy, and only one backed by \$500 Gold Bond.

—on the skin with every hairbrush. If you have a sore or falling out, try Lucky Tiger hair restorer. "Ask Your Barber." ADDS LUSTRE—BEAUTY—YOUTH.

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"The Store in Which You Have an Interest"

PIGGY WIGGLY All Over the World

Every day Mills, Tall Can	15c	Kansas hard winter wheat Flour, 48 lb. sack	\$3.15
Michigan Navy Beans Pound	9c	Broken Rice Pound	9c
Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour	14c	Maple City Soap Bar	61c
Old Home Style Cane and Maple Syrup, 5 lb. can	89c	Red River Ohio Potatoes, 15-pound peck	55c

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"The Store in Which You Have an Interest"

Decatur's Busy Store ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES The Stewart Dry Goods Co. 227-235 N. WATER ST. DECATUR, ILL.

Wonderful Bargains at Stewart's for
Friday and Saturday—Come Here for Lowest Prices

Big Millinery Clearance Sale

Up To \$10
Values... \$2

There are seventy odd hats in this lot. The values will be a surprise to you, we know. There is an excellent variety of large velvet hats of all shapes, small turbans, sailors and pokes all of late midwinter models. The trimmings express the thought of the season and give a charm that makes each hat distinctive in its own beauty. Your choice while they last...

Children's Hats at \$2, Worth Up to \$5

If your youngster needs a new hat this offer is a splendid saving over regular prices. They come in soft velvet pokes, rolling brims and tams, trimmed with ribbon streamers in all colors. These bargains won't last long; while they do—your choice

Featuring Two Coats Specials

Junior \$30 Coats \$18
Children's \$22 Coats \$15

Junior coats—sized 13, 15, 17 and 19, made of fine wool, velvet, fur, fancy patterns and striped velours—the new flare and belted models—snappy, smart, stylish coats for little misses—actually worth \$30, sale price.

Children's warm winter coats—high waist line coats, full length coats and belted coats—made of good all-wool materials, elegant, large collars that button close up to the neck; warm winter coats all sizes, 8 to 14, \$22 values, sale price.

\$18 \$15

Dress Goods Specially Priced for Two Days Selling

\$2 Poon Velvet \$1.75
Just received, 6 pieces of 18-inch Poon velvet, a beautiful silky sheen, in these colors for the making of hats, trimmings, etc.—black, navy and taupe. Regular \$2 seller. Grab this... **\$1.75**

\$1.00 Scotch Plaids, 75c
For Friday selling—20 pieces of 36-inch Scotch dress plaids; a splendid fabric for children's dresses and the regular selling price is \$1. For a Friday... **75c**

Costume Velvet, worth \$5 Yard, Sale Price, \$3.50
Beautiful Costume velvet, 28 inches wide; the genuine "Boulevard" Velvet, in black, navy, African, forest green and plum; worth \$5 a yard; our price, **\$3.50** a yard

\$1.95 42-inch Serges, \$1.50
For Friday selling—10 pieces of 42-inch serges—fine twill and soft finish. A splendid fabric for dresses, etc. Colors black, plum, forest green, taupe, maroon, and navy. For a Friday flyer... **\$1.50**

Domestics at Decidedly Low Prices at Stewarts

Yard-Wide Percale, 3 Yards \$1	Ginghams 4 Yards \$1	Linen Toweling	Outing	Bleached Fine Muslin, 4 Yards \$1	Comfort Balls
Yard wide percales, light and dark colors, new spring patterns—regular price 45c a yard—Monday at Stewart's, 3 yards for	Genuine Amoskeag apron ginghams and fine quality dress ginghams—regular price 35c a yard; Monday at Stewart's, 4 yds five yards for	25 pieces of genuine linen wash cloth, toweling, flannels—light bleached; regular price 25c a yard; Monday, 3 yards for	50 pieces of good heavy fleeced fancy outing flannels—light patterns, 35c value, 4 yards for	50 pieces of full bleached, yard wide muslin, worth 35c a yard, Monday at Stewart's, 4 yards for	50 bales of large snow white quilted comfort cotton bolls, spread out 72x90; one is enough for a comfort; worth \$1.39 each—sale price, each
\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1

When You Can't Eat

When you can't sleep When your head is heavy, and you are tired all the time. Just go to your druggist and get a box of Eupesia Tablets. For you are in the clutches of indigestion.

You will obtain immediate relief. Because Eupesia Tablets start the digestion at once. And they completely digest every particle of food in your stomach.

Think what this means to your poor over-worked stomach. Absolute rest. And the soothing, healing properties of Eupesia Tablets has a quieting effect on the irritated lining of the stomach. The result is complete relief. The stomach accepts food gratefully, and digests it easily and completely.

This is what Eupesia Tablets will do for you—will do for everyone who suffers from indigestion, dyspepsia, or stomach trouble in any form.

Buy a box of Eupesia Tablets today. Take one before your next meal. You'll be surprised to see how much you can eat and how easily you digest it.

OUR GUARANTEE

Try Eupesia Tablets at our expense. Go to your druggist today. Get a 50c box. After you have used the entire box, if you are not relieved of dyspepsia, or indigestion, in any of your forms, return the empty box to your druggist. He will promptly refund your money.

If your druggist does not carry Eupesia Tablets, send 50c to us direct. Our guarantee holds good however you purchase. A trial treatment and booklet on Stomach Trouble mailed free on request.

EUPEPSIA CHEMICAL CO.,
101 State Street, Monticello, Ill.

TWO CERRO GORDO RESIDENTS BURIED

Cerro Gordo, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Elizabeth L. Hulse, 70, died Nov. 21. She was born in Ohio and was a native of the state. She was a member of the Methodist church and was a devoted wife and mother. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Hulse, and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Hulse.

Funeral services were held at the home of the deceased on Wednesday, Nov. 24, at 2 o'clock. The Rev. J. W. C. Phillips officiated. Burial was in the cemetery.

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No More Getting Up Nights!

Bladder Weakness Quickly Corrected by Recent Scientific Discovery For Old and Young

50 Cent Package Free

What a wonderful comfort to sleep all night and not get up at last once, and maybe six or eight times, every night because of bladder weakness. Have you forgotten what the restfulness and luxury of an unbroken night of untroubled sleep is like?



"Oh-hi-hum! It's Tough to Have to Get Up This Way Every Night."

Among the principal causes of this trouble is chronic enlargement of the prostate gland and bladder irritation and of these and of the scientific discovery upon which Kellogg's Brown Tablets are based, a noted medical authority says: "A symptomatic cure is usually achieved." The treatment impels to urinate and the resulting desire at night ceases. Successes with this pill "have been had in men of ninety years."

Every man young and old should try this wonderful treatment. It works upon the bladder to correct the fault that is causing a host of men days and nights of untold misery.

Send coupon today, with six cents in stamps to help pay postage and packing for a free 50c trial box of Kellogg's Brown Tablets, to Frank J. Kellogg Co., 1719 Hoffmaster Block, Battle Creek, Mich.

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DEER INCLUDED IN CISCO REALTY DEAL

Cisco, Nov. 27.—A deal was made Wednesday in which W. H. Jones sold his property on South Main street, to J. L. Mcintosh. The property included a large tract of land, including a deer park on the place and eleven deer. These were included in the deal, and were sold for \$100.00.

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BOY SCOUT ALL-CITY HONORARY FOOTBALL ELEVEN

Selected by Deputy Commissioner W. E. Hoots.

Position	First	Second	Third
Left End	Shaw	Paulsen	Platt
Left Tackle	Shaw	Paulsen	Platt
Left Guard	Nicholson	Whittle	Santunen
Center	Whittle	Amelin	Hennery
Right Guard	Atkinson	Hill	Wheat
Right Tackle	Burchell	Indisch	Conford
Right End	Donaldson	Lewis	Johnson
Left Half	Maxon	Laurum (c)	Hain
Right Half	Robertson	Harold	Murphy
Fullback	Crech (c)	H. Shaw	Molonda
Player		Moran	Ditto (c)

cap the Decatur eleven but it will not greatly cripple her offensive power. While Wann's men have gained a lot of ground via the forward pass and by end runs the team has a backfield equally adept at pile driving tactics. Hamilton, J. MacWhorter and Kilo MacWhorter, all are capable of hitting the line with a terrific jolt and the Rose forward wall has a hard day ahead of it.

The largest crowd of the season is expected to see the finale of 1918 football. Many Decatur people who were unable to attend the Saturday afternoon games will turn out to see their favorites in action. Tickets for the game will be on sale at Davis' drug store.

JURY DECIDES FOR DAUGHTERS

French Verdict When Judge Threms No Holiday.

The jury in the case of Ray and Mary Daughtry, charged with attempting to extort money by threats from Harvey Silvers, returned a verdict of not guilty at 4:45 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. At 4:30 the jury, which had been out since shortly after noon, sent word to Judge Whitfield that it could not reach an agreement. The court sent for the jury and asked whether it was a question of law or of fact that puzzled them, and Foreman Graham said that they did not understand one of the instructions.

Judge Whitfield told them to read carefully the indictment and then read carefully the instructions. He told them that he would be in the court room until 5 o'clock, would return and receive their verdict any time before that time.

time before that time, and if no verdict was reached by that time he would come back Thursday morning, and again Friday morning. Verdicts of Thanksgiving dinner at a restaurant instead of at their own fire-sides flashed before the minds of the jurors and they went back to study over the indictment and the instructions. In fifteen minutes they had reached a verdict of not guilty.

Attorney Millikin, who was sent from Kentucky by friends of Ray Daughtry to assist in the defense, scored a hit with the spectators when he paid his compliments to State's Attorney Duck and Assistant State's Attorney C. F. Evans. He told how Mr. Duck would warm up in his closing argument, soar aloft to heights of eloquence and make the eagle scream, and he gave an imitation of Mr. Duck in action that made the jurors and even the court laugh.

He told the jury not to be too profoundly impressed with the earnestness of Mr. Evans, who, he said, is a candidate to succeed Mr. Duck and in order to get the votes he must make good. "I can sympathize with Mr. Evans," he said, "for back there in old Kentucky I, too, am a candidate for state's attorney."

RISLEY GUILTY

The jury in the case of Philip L. Risley, charged with having obscene pictures in his possession, returned a verdict of guilty Wednesday afternoon. Risley was arrested some time ago as a suspect in a burglary and larceny case and while at police headquarters he tried to get rid of the pictures before being searched.

but the officers found them behind a chair he had occupied.

Clarence Wicker who robbed a Vandalia caboose, pleaded guilty to grand larceny and asked to be placed on probation. His case was referred to T. W. Pitner.

SPORT SUMMARY

Milwaukee — Johnny Dundee out-pointed Charley White in a ten round bout, according to critics.

Detroit — Bob Martin knocked out Tim Riley in the first round.

BOWLING

CITY LEAGUE

The Review bowlers lost three games in their match with the Pinks Wednesday night; the last two by close scores. In fact the second game resulted in a tie, but the Pinks won it on the roll off. One of the features of the game was when Steiner left the No. 10 pin standing eight times in three games. He got it each time with his second ball.

Player	1	2	3	Total	Av.
F. Schultz	117	158	151	426	142
C. Shulke	107	136	177	420	140
Coley	109	140	155	404	135
Wiesenbubler	101	143	184	428	143
Steiner	173	162	177	512	171
Totals	608	740	720	2068	172

Player	1	2	3	Total	Av.
Kirby	130	142	140	412	137
Usher	132	140	140	412	137
Conrad	127	140	147	414	138
Burt	132	135	123	410	137
Hill	145	175	182	502	167
Handicap	2	2	2	6	2
Totals	710	740	774	2224	174

High individual average, Steiner, 171; high individual score, Hill, 182.

D. H. S. BASKETBALL TO START MONDAY

H. L. Cook, athletic coach for the Decatur high school, will meet all candidates for the basketball team on Monday after school hours. Already there has been a good deal of preliminary work done in basketball and there is a good deal of fairly set talent eager to answer the call Decatur's first game is with the Clinton high school and will be played at Clinton on Dec. 12.

SOPHOMORES WIN SECOND HONORS

Defeat Juniors in Final Game 20 to 8.

The Sophomores won second place in the Inter Class basketball tournament at the high school Wednesday afternoon. Their final game was with the

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Junior and defeated them by a score of 20 to 8. The Juniors were out played all through the game. The main support of the Sophomores was McGown and Miller. The Juniors seemed to have plenty of shots for the basket but they were not as accurate as the Sophomores.

There was also a game scheduled between the Seniors and the Freshmen but as the Freshies are on the

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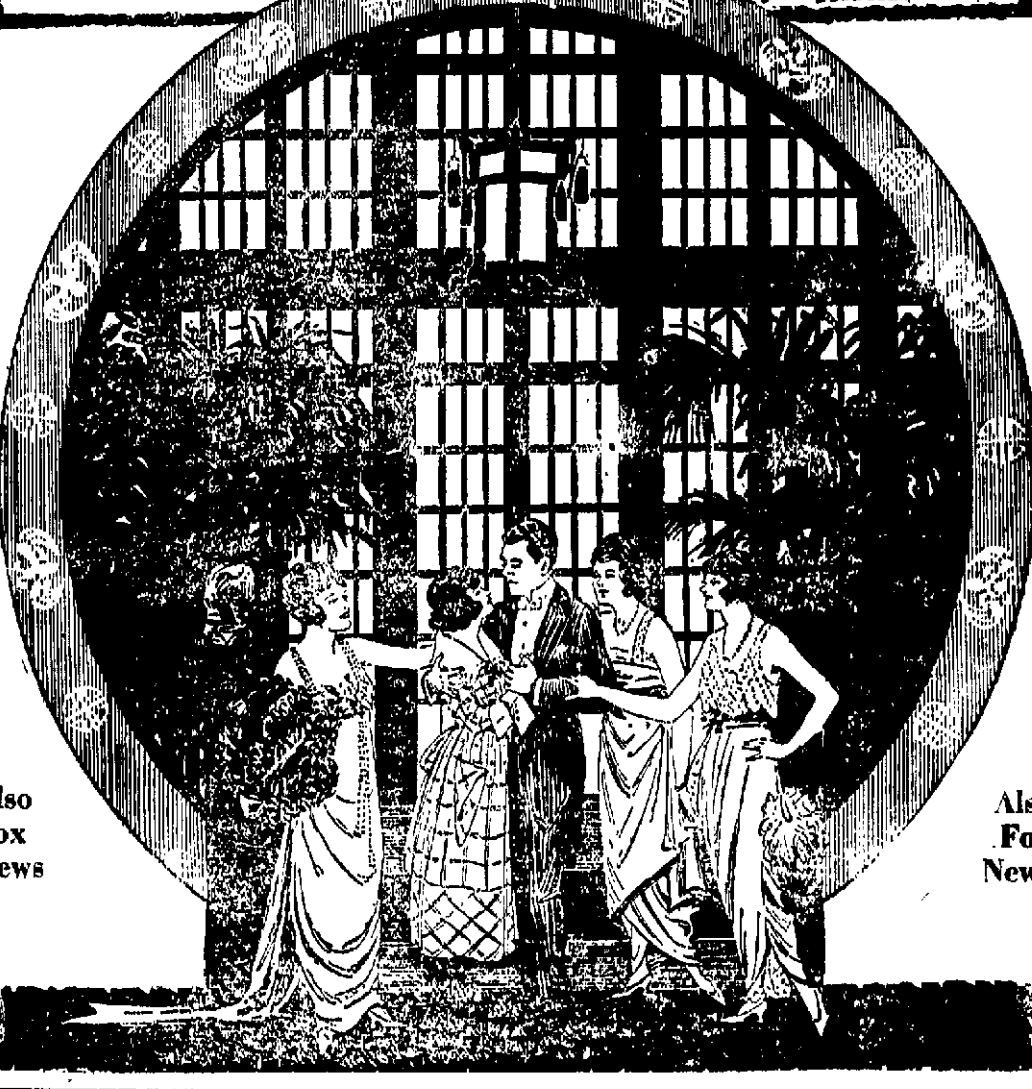
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OHIO TACTICS

Ohio Republicans have presented the name of Senator Warren G. Harding for president. It is not told just what he has accomplished to bring about the distinction of the chief office in the land, but at least he is entered as a favorite son.

There was a time when Ohio Republicans expected to furnish from their own state most of the presidents, and they did get some encouragement in this notion. That was because of skillful management by the patriotic brethren from the Buckeye state.

Perhaps they figure they are again getting in shape to play the old game. Their state is "pivot," they assert, and it is doubtful politically. It may go Democratic unless Republicans of the nation so in the rescue.

Now our own Governor Lowden doesn't enjoy this advantage. His state has grown to be "brutally Republican," and no member of that party would think of picking Lowden to save the electoral vote of Illinois.

The moral is that Illinois' Republicans should occasionally lend a hand and elect a Democrat to office. Then they can go into their national convention and call for help for a favorite son, just as Ohio did in the past and plans to do again.

BE THANKFUL

This is Thanksgiving day, and possibly a few are asking why they should feel thankful. But all who mean well should feel thankful, and they do not need to look far to find sufficient reason.

For one thing, they live in a country where common sense is presented with an opportunity to register itself, to make itself count in the affairs of the times. If there are enough of these people with common sense, and if they have the courage that must go along with gifts to make them count, they can do big work in the times that are ahead.

And not for a moment does one imagine that fairly good sense is in a minority in this country. So one concludes there is a prospect of doing better than at present, and there is the opportunity to get busy and put the matter to test.

DO THAT SHOPPING NOW

With the passing of today Thanksgiving is off the calendar for this year, and the next big step is Christmas.

And perhaps it is all right at this point to say a few words in favor of doing that shopping early. The reasons for this course are many, and they have been recounted on other occasions.

This time there is more reason for doing this shopping in time; and it is better next week than the one after. Every indication is that trading season will be heavy, and all know that in many lines there is a limit to the stocks on hand, and there isn't any chance to have late reorders filled.

Merchants will give you better service now than they possibly can two and three weeks from now. You will have to pay a pretty stiff price, so you should be careful to get all there is in the way of good service. It is all in your money's worth, and it will be yours if you act in time.

GOING THEIR WAY

Two weeks since the country was presented with some of the inside dope in the circles of the Reds of this country.

It was disclosed that part of the plan is to work to turn small strikes into general strikes, the next step being the overthrow of the government, after which the next lot is to come, the left-handed curse that is paralyzing Russia.

This being the program of the Reds' members must be highly pleased with developments now under way in the country. Take a look at the news columns and note how much space must be devoted to telling about big strikes that surely more than border on the general.

The gentlemen in charge of the other side, law and order, don't appear to be quite big enough for the work that confronts them. If they can do better this is a mighty good time to show their best pieces.

HEROES OF THE BIG LAKES

Nearly every day at this season of the year you will get a story of hardship and loss of life on the big lakes. Steamers are going on the rocks in Lake Superior, and of course

many lives go down with the ships. Often one is tempted to the statement that about the bravest men this country has in civil life are sailors who ply their calling on these lakes. They know in advance that chances are desperate as the season draws to a close; but these sailors keep right at the work. They stick to the job against all odds until the ice freezes over and ships will no longer navigate.

If a way could be found to keep the ice out these sailors would doubtless stick to the ships all winter. They are men of real nerve, though they don't care to say much about it.

HE MUST KNOW BETTER

It is told that members of the United States senate are about to conclude that Carranza of Mexico wishes a break with this country. They find evidence that he is systematically working to this end.

Of course if Carranza wishes a thing of this kind he is hardly to be denied. When a man deliberately turns out to start a rough house it can be expected he will get accommodated. This development is practically always in control of the man who fools he must have a fight.

But is Carranza up to anything of this kind? He must have a little sense left in his makeup, and he doesn't take more than a grain of this to show him he is in for a bad drubbing if he insists on roughing it.

And there are mighty few people in all the world—that is outside insane hospitals—who keep on yearning for a finish of this kind.

FIVE WINTER RESORT

The late grand jury in this county put the finishing touches on its labors by paying an official call at the jail building. Once more we are interested in the report of the call.

In the whole, the jury found the jail quite a comfortable place for which to live. The food is good, and of course there is no complaint of being compelled to work over hours. There might be changes for the better in a few minor particulars, but really these are trifles that can wait.

In making this jail visit and report possibly some members of the grand jury had it in mind to do and say something to reassure those it had started toward an enforced sojourn in the place.

But there should be an official body somewhere to discourage those who are showing a fool disposition to break into jail.

OTHERS HAVE A FEW

The high road is marked all the way from Kansas City to Los Angeles, the work being done at the expense of an organization in the latter city. Foster Waltz tells us that sometimes hunters happen along and amuse themselves by shooting up a few of these markers.

And so they have miscreants of this kind in what was once the wild and woolly west. This surprises some of us. We had an impression that vandals of this quality got wiped out in that country in the pioneer days. Of what use was the vigilance committee to civilization if it permitted these vandals to live on?

Here in the middle west we have a few people who would amuse themselves shooting up road markers, but we didn't dream the clan was spreading and covering the country.

It is the feeling of the weather man that we ought to have our coal strike settled by this time, for we might know he can't hold back the elements forever.

The player who has an inclination toward "rough" work should never enter football; and when he sneaks in little time should be lost in throwing him out.

An official report says that 800 a month desert from our army. Some addition to the ranks of those who will not call for universal military training.

This year's hunting season is about closed, but for the life of us we will not be able to note any change in looking at the spread on the table.

Pollpe Angeles was an artillery genius who was willing to take his chances, but, of course, Mexico proved too many for him.

Has anybody reported how many Springfield loving couples start life right by coming to Decatur to get married?

Roads are reported some better, and now if there is a freeze they may be able to hold what they have gained.

"Coal supplies the Jenkins case," says a news item. The case is in luck to get mentioned at all at this time.

Teachers will not have to take another post-graduate course to find a place to put that \$100 bonus.

Mr. Lenine's offer to reform this country is something that wasn't solicited, and isn't likely to be.



THANKSGIVING.
For the laughter of our children and the courage of our youth,
For our land of peace and plenty and her Stars and Stripes of truth,
For the sunshine on the hillsides and the fields of golden grain
And for all His gracious kindness, now we offer thanks again.
For the bounty of His giving and the richness of His years,
For the strength that has sustained us through the nighttime of our tears,
For His blessing on our labor and His ever watchful care,
Now we turn from selfish living to make this a time of prayer.
For His presence at each bedside where the sick and wounded lie,
For the peace and rest of heaven that are theirs He calls to die,
For the glory of the living and the triumph of the dead,
And the splendor of our nation, now our grateful prayers are said.
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About Town

SOMEbody is enjoying a goose dinner today who did not pay for it but if he is caught he will pay handsomely for that bird.

A man living just off of North Water street, north of Grand avenue between that street and Center street, bought a fine large goose the other day for his Thanksgiving dinner. He bought the bird alive and after roasting him placed it in a coop which he had hastily made.

A goose is about as hard to keep in a pen as a homestead dog and within a few minutes the owner saw his bird starting for the neighbor's yard. He rushed out and by good luck secured the goose into a poultry wire gate wherein the goose got its neck entangled making it an easy prey for the owner.

The Thanksgiving bird was again placed in the coop and, as the owner thought, more carefully secured. But within a few minutes after the owner had gone into the house the goose again broke out and walked leisurely down a neighbor's driveway to North Water street where it stood on the edge of the sidewalk enjoying a quiet view of the passing traffic.

A man came along on a bicycle. He saw that sleek goose standing there on the curb, swung up close to it, quickly picked it up, unstrapped it under his arm and continued on his bicycle down the street just before the owner came over to the neighbor's asking them if they had seen his goose.

They had seen the abduction but they did not know the abductor.

MONTHLY GWINNUP, who will be remembered by many Decatur people as having been active in the hotel business here for several years, being one time owner of the Decatur hotel, was in Decatur Tuesday for a short visit and rest after a rather strenuous season of work in Chicago.

Just at this time Mr. Gwinning is assistant manager of "The Evanston," an exclusive family hotel at the Chicago suburb of that name and is having what seems to him a very quiet time after having spent the better part of a year "on the dock" at two of Chicago's busiest hotels, the La Salle and the Morrison.

The hotel business in the past two or three years has been the greatest over known and Mr. Gwinning's tales of the feverish current, and rates as well, in that line of commercial activity in the big city are very interesting.

He was told that a count of the number of persons who came through the doors of the Morrison on two different days showed that more than 100,000 had come and gone during the day. He did not make the count but he says to a man on the dock there it seems entirely possible. With 1,500 rooms at his disposal Mr. Gwinning never had a room to spare.

Out on millionaire's row in Evanston he and Mrs. Gwinning are finding life much more restful.

A local traveling man says that he was down in Kentucky a few days ago and found a woolen mill forty miles from no place turning out old fashioned jeans. The mill was at Jamestown, Ky., and the mill is really a pretty important industry. He bought sixteen yards of the jeans, enough for two suits of clothes. He did this partly to beat the h. o. l. i. partly because he was getting a fabric of almost limitless wearing quality and partly because it is so old that it is distinctly novel. The late D. C. Moffitt, formerly mayor of the city, was the last man in Decatur who is known to have clung to jeans, and few of the present generation knew or remembered him.

Having received his jeans the traveling man went out to find a tailor to make it into clothing. His headquarters happen to be in Bloomington and it was there he made the search for a tailor. He received the shock of his life. It was impressed upon him with overwhelming force that he might as well try to beat death or taxes as the high cost of living. If it doesn't get one going it gets him coming. The price named by a good tailor for fabricating the two suits of jeans was \$100 or \$50 a suit. He went to other good tailors and found the price the same.

He let the contract at that price. He says that he will have the satisfaction of wearing clothes the like of which no other person in Illinois is wearing but that is all.

H. C. THOMPSON DIES IN WINNETKA

Monticello, Nov. 26.—H. C. Thompson of Homestead, Neb., died Tuesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Greene in Winnetka at the age of fifty-eight years. He was born in Fulton county, but spent most of his life in Platt county. He was survived by one brother, Nelson of Nebraska, and two sisters; Mrs. Frank Green of Winnetka and Mrs. William Dighton of Monticello. Funeral services will be held at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. Dighton at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, Nov. 27.

NEW MOVIE PICTURE BUILDING AT PANAMA

Panama, Nov. 27.—Work is being rushed on the extensive brick wall of the new movie picture building being erected by Ben Lockenheimer for Harry Fanner. The building is being extended to the alley and if the weather will remain good just a few days more it will be enclosed and the interior work can be rushed. The building will be of the height of two stories, but will all be in the auditorium giving a fine height to the ceiling and permitting strictly modern floor arrangements, no space being left for an unobstructed view of the stage.

PLAN JOINT INITIATION

The Knights of Columbus and Daughters of Isabella held business meetings Tuesday night in the K. of C. hall. Arrangements were practically completed for the joint initiation and banquet for the two orders on Wednesday, December 3. The two warehouses of Ed McKee, on corner of Locust and Oak streets, has been secured and arrangements are being effected for the serving of 400 plates. Decatur is to try to secure a special on the K. of C. and it is expected a very large delegation will be here from that city. After the business was disposed of an excellent lunch was served and toast given, followed by an impromptu dance.

BACK FROM BELGIUM

Louis Meire, wife and family, are back from a several months visit to their old home in Belgium. He reports that Belgium is fast recovering from the effects of the war and the army there is now prospering and production is increasing every day. He makes the surprising statement that the Belgians bear no deep animosity to the Germans in general, that all their bitterness is centered on the traitors and that Hazons and Bavarians treated the natives kindly.

Patrick Cahill of Ramsey, one of the most extensive raisers of live stock in this section, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Frank, formerly of Ramsey, now a business visitor Tuesday.

The Legg poultry company were shipped a number of turkeys to the city for the turkey market.

Mrs. Louis Craig of 108 South Clark street was called yesterday morning to the Fuller Memorial hospital for an operation for gall stones.

A man named George A. Hone, who was a member of the Flying Squadron, in actual war service, and who returned during Miss Allen's visit. She was also present at the unveiling of one of the sculptures most important works of sculpture in one of the Chicago parks.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hone of Sullivan arrived yesterday morning to spend Thanksgiving and week with Mrs. Hone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McQuigg and parties of Thanksgiving cheer.

Frank Marsh, wife and baby, of Chicago arrived Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Voght.

TO MARRY SOLDIER

Miss Marie Hock left Tuesday for Nelson, Wis., where she and Geo. W. Scholtz will be united in marriage. The wedding is the result of correspondence between the two while Miss Hock was in the army.

Miss Hock is the sixteen year old daughter of Mrs. Adeline Hock, who lives on Washington street. Mrs. Hock has been a waitress in George Rice's Peculiar on the corner of Locust and Main streets.

The groom is employed on the railroad in Nelson, Wis., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker gave a three course Alder dinner at their home on South street yesterday, at high noon in honor of William Walker, a few relatives of Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Younger and Aunt Phoebe, Guthrie.

NEW TIME CARD

Local officials of the Baltimore and

OHIO RAILROAD IN PANAMA

Ohio railroad in Panama have received notice that there will be a change of time on that road that will go into effect Dec. 1. It is thought that the change will not affect the trains on the Springfield division much.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE-TO-BE

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Miss Behren at the home of Mrs. W. Schwilke on Tuesday evening. About twenty-five guests were present at this shower and the bride-to-be received two nice articles in cut glass ware, and many other presents.

A few readings and a number of musical selections were given during the evening. Refreshments were served. Miss Behren announced her engagement to Matthew Gerhold of the Knobs at this shower.

PERSONAL

Miss Ethelyn Galvin, a student at the Sacred Heart academy in Springfield, is spending Thanksgiving in Panama with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Galvin, and other relatives.

Miss Mary Quinn will spend Thanksgiving in Assumption visiting relatives.

Miss Mary O'Connor of Ramsey, who is spending the day visiting friends and relatives.

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BETHANY.

Born, to Rev. A. A. and wife, Saturday, a son.

Miss Betty Brown of Charleston spent Sunday with her parents, H. A. Brown and wife.

Mr. Deanev arrived here Monday, from St. Louis, Mo., on a vacation.

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SOLD LIQUOR IN DRY TERRITORY

Aged Findlay Man Declared Guilty by Jury.

Shelbyville, Nov. 27.—The jury found John Weathers guilty of illegally selling intoxicating liquor in anti-dry territory by his verdict yesterday. The indictment consisted of nineteen counts, but the jury found him guilty on one count.

Bert Tinner, a witness for the people, testified that he bought several drinks and two or three pints of whiskey from the defendant in the year 1927.

The defendant, according to Tinner, had a garage building in Findlay; that in the rear of the building was a little room into which he went when he wanted a drink or a pint, and he laid his money, either twenty cents for a drink, forty cents for a half pint, or seventy-five cents for a pint of whiskey on a shelf near a small opening in the wall; that the whiskey would appear, and the money would disappear from the other side of the partition.

Defendant and his son Grover, who owned the building absolutely denied the statements of the witness.

"Jenny Blin" Jordan, another witness, for the people testified that he had bought some whiskey of the defendant but could not remember when it was Jordan was confined in the county jail on a charge of stealing a car, or some months ago, and his general reputation was shown by the questions propounded to him by the counsel for the defendant.

ZAMBONI INNOCENT

Martin Zamboni, the man charged with stealing Homer Fleming's car from his garage, was acquitted, after the jury had deliberated on his case but a very short time.

Fleming had just purchased a new Ford car, had driven it around town for a few hours, put it in his garage at midnight, and then retired. When he awoke the next morning, the car was gone. Fleming immediately notified the various police of the county, but not until after three or four months did he hear of the car.

The police department of St. Louis found the car in a garage at 17th and Walnut street, with the license numbers changed, and the engine numbers increased, and waited around the garage until the owner appeared to claim the car. After waiting some time, Zamboni appeared to claim the car and he was released. He was brought back to Shelbyville and his trial resulted.

Zamboni, who runs a soft drink parlor in Nokomis, is a foreigner, but seems to have the good will of the citizens there, for a large number of the most reputable citizens, down there, testified to his general good reputation for honesty and fair dealing. Zamboni testified that he bought the car in good faith from three men who gave him a bill of sale for it, and that he had no knowledge that the car was stolen.

If Zamboni's story is correct he

could not have been guilty and the jury so found.

OLD RESIDENT BURIED

Mrs. Perry Abercrombie, a resident of Ash Grove township for many years was buried in the Ash Grove cemetery, Tuesday. She died in the Effingham hospital Saturday evening, where she had been taken for treatment for heart trouble, having been afflicted for some time. The family had been living in Nioga for some time.

Mrs. Abercrombie was Sarah A. Bland, and was born in Green county, Indiana, May 5, 1812, and when she was seven years old she came to Illinois with her parents. Here she married Joseph Baker, and he and their two sons died. Later she married Jonathan Lindley, a prominent farmer of south of Neoga. Fourteen years ago Mr. Lindley died. Jan. 9, 1907 she married Perry Abercrombie, who survives her.

SMALL BLAZE

The fire alarm brought out a crowd at the Dr. W. J. Eddy residence Wednesday noon. The fire was up near the roof, caused by the flu, but was out before the fire company reached the place and very little damage was done.

ROBBERY AT WINDSOR.

About four hundred dollars worth of clothing was taken early Tuesday morning from the Windsor tailoring shop in Windsor. It was evident that the robbers considered that they had plenty of time for they made a thorough cleanup. Later in the night they attempted to enter the Athey garage but were frightened away by the night police. The citizens have sent to Peoria for bloodhounds.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

Chester Kinnery and James Cross were hunting Sunday, and as one of the results of the day Kinnery bears the marks of an accidental shooting. The man had a gun of equal caliber in the trunk and when Cross fired a shot, one of the birds he shot Kinnery in the face and hand. One of the shot came near putting out an eye and the unfortunate man has a number of shot in his head and shoulders. Nothing serious is now anticipated from the injuries. The accident occurred in the neighborhood of Neoga on the Swinzel farm tenanted by Mr. Cross.

CONVICTS AS WITNESSES.

Deputy Sheriff Ed Blagg has returned from the Southern Illinois penitentiary bringing with him "Blackie" Murphy, and Frank Huskell who are needed as witnesses in the theft trial of Odd Niles. Sylvester Jackson and Joe Lewis will also be brought here from the reformatory at Pontiac and will be used as witnesses in the same case.

Sleep?
Does a dry cough keep you awake?
KEMP'S BALSAM
will stop the tickle that makes you cough.
GUARANTEED.

THANKSGIVING
That this nation has again proved worthy of its traditions, is an eminent occasion for thanksgiving.
We give thanks that Peace again reigns over the world—that the people of the world may enjoy the fruits of peaceful industry without the anxiety and suffering of war.
We give thanks that this nation has learned to use its great resources; that the economy and conservation made necessary by the war have shown us the way to greater efficiency and achievement.

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New oil treatment for rheumatism almost proves a revolution. Over five million bottles sold under absolute guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded and less than dozen bottles have been returned. This new "Anti-Rheumatic Oil" contains a powerful "Antiseptic Oil" which is said to be without an equal for rheumatism, neuritis, sciatica, stiff and aching joints, any kind of ache or pain. Cut Burn or Bruise. Cures More Than Don't Delay. Take a bottle into your home today and get instant relief. One only 50c. and \$1.00 at The Decatur Drug Company.

CERRO GORDO CHILD BURNED TO DEATH

Sherman Gray's 3 Yr. Old Daughter Expires.

Cerro Gordo, Nov. 27.—Margaret Gray, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gray, caught fire on Monday morning about 10 o'clock and was so severely burned that death resulted later. The mother had gone across the street for a bucket of water and the screams of the child attracted her attention and she hurriedly ran for the house and found the child out in the street in a blaze of fire. She, with the help of neighbors, extinguished the flames,

MRS. GUFFEY DIES AT HOSPITAL

Clinton, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Roy Guffey died Wednesday morning at the John Warner hospital following a two-month illness. Priscilla Holkes was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Holkes, of West Main street. She was born Nov. 13, 1900. She was married to Roy Guffey, Dec. 30, 1918, and since their marriage has resided with Mrs. Guffey's parents. Mrs. Guffey entered the Lincoln school in this city when but a child and graduated from that institution in 1911. Seven weeks ago she gave birth to a baby and within a short time it was found necessary to have an operation. Surviving are her husband and infant child and one brother, Raphael Holkes of Bloomington.

MISS MARY BAKER TO GATHER DATA

Will Write, Macon County War History.

Miss Mary Baker, a member of the staff of the Decatur public library, has been appointed executive secretary of the Macon county war records and history. Miss Baker will have her headquarters at the public library and as soon as she has made her plans for the work she will announce just what she wants in the way of such records.

EVERY RAILROAD MAN SHOULD READ THIS

Peterson's Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y. Dear Sirs: I was afflicted with what the doctors said were Varicose Ulcers, and up until about five weeks ago I have been treating them for about a year and five months.

THANKSGIVING



Fortunate The Fireside

where, after justice has been done to the Thanksgiving dinner, LATONA stands ready to add zest to the day's events. Choose an Emerson hit with occasionally one of the new talking dolls or books for the kiddies' special benefit, and you have the perfect form of home entertainment.

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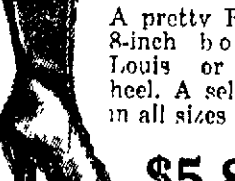
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Compare our store expense with ANY other Shoe Store in Decatur, and you will know why.

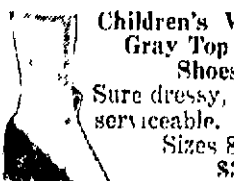
We Can and We Do Sell Shoes for Less Money.

Our rent is less than one-third of any other store, our store is plain, our clerks are ordinary folks, no extra to pay for, you pay only for what you carry away.

The following are only a few prices that save you money. More like them in the store.



A pretty Black Kid, 8-inch boot, with Louis or military heel. A select value, in all sizes.



Children's White or Gray Top Dress Shoes. Sure dressy, neat and serviceable.

Sizes 8 1/4 to 11 \$3.45
Sizes 11 1/4 to 2 \$3.85

FALLS DOWN OPEN CELLAR WAY

Fall 27.—Mrs. J. J. Hanford, living south out of town, is well known for her down the cellar way. She was on her way to the cellar when she fell down the cellar way. She was on her way to the cellar when she fell down the cellar way.

NOVEMBER PASSES AS DRY MONTH

Rainfall Has Been Only 3.6 Inches Thus Far.

The month of November probably will pass off as a dry month, although up to the present time, some rain has fallen on eight or nine different occasions. Practically every one of these rains was light but was enough to keep the roads muddy and rather bad during the first half of the month.

CHARGED WITH STEALING

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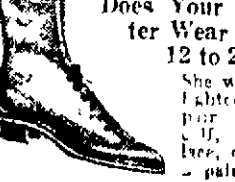
Felt Slippers—ribbon and fur trims—a variety of colors, sizes 2 1/2 to 8. Don't wait—slippers are scarce. Our price saves you money.

\$1.79

CLOSE OUT SPECIAL

A heavy button shoe for boy or girl. Sizes 10 1/2, 11 and 11 1/2 to close out, only.

\$1.29



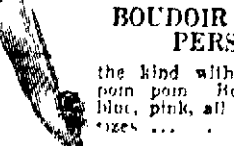
Does Your Daughter Wear Sizes 12 to 22? She will be delighted with a pair. Brown or black, high top, lace, only \$1.00 a pair.



Black kid, high top, lace, only \$3.85 a pair.



Old fashion felt slippers, felt soles, men's or women's sizes, 4 to 11, only 59c.



BOUDOIR SLIPPERS. The kind with the big point toe. Red, black, blue, pink, all sizes. \$2.25.

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Friday And Saturday Are The Final Days Of "Gebhart's" 23rd Anniversary Sale---

—And We're Making Them The Banner Bargain Days

It Is The Superb Quality of The Materials, As Well As The Ultra-Smart Styles, That Is Spreading The Fame Of This 23rd Anniversary

Sale Of Coats

\$35, \$40, \$45, \$50 and \$60 Garments

\$19.23 \$23.23 \$29.23

—A big percentage of the smartest looking coats now seen on the streets of Decatur came from this sale.

—Those stunning fur collared coats of broadcloth and velours—like the ones you've seen priced around \$50 and \$60—they came from this sale.

—And the beautiful models of pom pom, bolivia, silvertone and Polo cloth that you admired so much—they more than likely came from this sale.

Besides lots of other kinds of such materials as sturdy chevrons, thibets and novelty wools.

—They're styled to the minute and skillfully tailored. Their linings are satins, silks and fancy Venetian. They come in all the season's best colors and in women's and misses' sizes.

—If you expect to buy a new coat this winter—and of course you do—plan to choose from these unmatched values Friday or Saturday.

PRINCE ALBERT

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NEVER was such right-handed-two-fisted smokejoy as you puff out of a jummy pipe packed with Prince Albert! That's because P. A. has the quality!

You can't fool your taste apparatus any more than you can get five aces out of a family deck! So, when you hit Prince Albert, coming and going, and get up half an hour earlier just to start stoking your pipe or rolling cigarettes, you know you've got the big prize on the end of your line!

Prince Albert's quality alone puts it in a class of its own, but when you figure that P. A. is made by our exclusive patented process that cuts out bite and parch—well—you feel like getting a flock of dictionaries to find enough words to express your happy days sentiments!

Toppy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome panned and half-panned tin humidor—and that classy, practical panned crystal glass humidor with sponge moisture top that keeps the tobacco in each perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Closing Out All HAIR SWITCHES HALF-PRICE

—All remaining switches sacrificed to make room for gift goods: genuine human hair, 3-stem, in all shades and lengths.

\$1.98 Switches, \$.99
\$2.50 Switches, \$1.25
\$3.50 Switches, \$1.75
\$4.50 Switches, \$2.25
\$5.00 Switches, \$2.50

Last Chance to Buy 35c "FAMO" HAIR TONIC 23c

—Keeps dandruff away and restores life and lustre to the hair. Excellent for men and women. Regular 35c bottle. Friday and Saturday for 23c.

\$1 Chamoisette Gloves 69c

—Good, heavy chamoisette gloves for winter wear—black & grey—all sizes, at 69c pair.

Here's a Thrilling Bit of News for Women Who Couldn't Get Here Wednesday!

Nearly a Hundred \$6 to \$8 Hats, For \$2.50

—Most of them have their original price tickets on them, showing exactly what they sold for.

—But you don't need price tickets to tell you the worth of these hats. You can see at a glance—in their style class, the excellence of their materials.

—Lots of jaunty little velvet and beaver hats for mid-winter wear; and big ones too; many ostrich trimmed. A host of different styles and color in hats sold for \$6, \$7 and \$8, tomorrow and Saturday, choice, **\$2.50**

—Also one table of finer hats—including many patterns sold up to \$12—at choice, \$4.50.



FRIDAY! Remnants

—Silk fringes
—Gold laces
—Silver laces
—Camisole laces

Half Price

—A month-end clean-up of all the short pieces in our lace and trimming department.

—Remnants of this season's best selling materials at choice Friday, HALF PRICE.

Ready for Early Gift Buyers—Our Complete Stocks of Christmas Slippers

—They're ready for you in laid out on tables for convenient selection.

WOMEN'S JULIETS, fur and ribbon trimmed; all colors; \$2.50, \$2, \$1.75 and \$1.50.

WOMEN'S COMFY slippers in all colors—and in two-tones, \$2, \$1.75 and \$1.50.

MEN'S SLIPPERS, comfy and Everette styles, in grey, blue, wine, black, \$1.75 and \$2.

Special black felt Everette for men, at \$1 pair.

CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS—red julietts, comfy and cavalier styles; 55c to \$1.50.

Buy Christmas Slipper Now While Stocks are Complete

SOCIAL NEWS

**STUDENTS ENJOY
THANKSGIVING DAY**
Kappa Delta Chi fraternity men are having their annual Thanksgiving day reunion today. This afternoon the men and their girl friends attended the football game in a body.

COLDS
Head or chest—
are best treated
"externally" with
VICK'S VAPORUB
"YOUR REMEDY"—50¢ 60¢ 75¢

"WHITE'S"
Decatur's new-
est Dancing
Academy.
Classes for be-
ginners on
Tuesday and
Thursday
nights. Capable
instructor in
charge.
Invitation
Saturday, No-
vember 29th.
**WHITE'S
ACADEMY**
Third Floor Over Stair's
Confectionery
MILLER R. WHITE, Manager

A section of hosts having been re-
served for them. After the game
there will be a stag banquet at the
fraternity house, with a general good
time afterwards. Between fifty and
sixty men are here for the reunion.
Among those from out of town are
Guy Collins of Westerville, Leslie
Lewis of Alwood, John Crocker of
Northwestern, Guy Dickerson of
Champaign, Clinton Mils of Irving,
Ralph Houchton of Petersburg, and
Arthur Johnson of Petersburg.

Beta Delta Delta girls had their
Thanksgiving dinner at noon today,
a special guest being their faculty
advisor, Luther B. Henderson. The
pledges who live at Aston hall, Fin-
ches, Tucker, Helen, Connors and
Helen, Chestnut, also attended the
dinner. This afternoon the girls went
to the football game, and tonight
they will have a theater party.

Several of the girls went home for
Thanksgiving. Martha Ellen Peebles
went to Springfield, and Ruth Smith
to Rankin.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity men
will eat their Thanksgiving dinner
at the Orlando tonight at 6:30. Aus-
tin Gilroy of Canton and Lawrence
Anderson and wife of Telford Harte
will be guests.

The Tau Kappa Epsilon men had
Thanksgiving dinner at the house at
noon.

Some of the Zeta Tau Alpha girls
went home for Thanksgiving, so the
other girls planned nothing special
for the day. Helen Jones of M. Beta
Phi went to her home at Monticello
for the week-end.

HOLIDAY WEDDING IS ANNOUNCED

**Cleone Phillips to Marry
Marshall Hamilton.**

ANNOUNCEMENT of an engage-
ment was one of the Thanksgiv-
ing day features at the Alpha Chi
Omega sorority house today. The an-
nouncement was made this afternoon
of the approaching wedding of Miss
Cleone Phillips of this city and Mar-
shall Hamilton of Harrisburg. The
wedding will come during the Christ-
mas holidays.

Little Helen Staley, and Jack
Gredler, dressed as bride and brid-
egroom, brought in to the girls at the
house little rosebud bouquets. In each
of these bouquets was a small card
with a heart, on which the announce-
ment was made. Miss Phillips was
presented with a basket of sweet-
heart roses. Later lunch was served.
The bride-to-be attended the James
Milliken university for two years and
is a member of Alpha Chi Omega
sorority.

The Alpha Chi girls will have their
Thanksgiving dinner at the house
this evening. Among the guests will
be Mrs. Barnett of Decatur, who is vis-
iting her daughter, Camille.

Miss Katherine Cline of Aston Hall
and Mrs. Joe Murphy and her two
daughters will go to Lefroy Friday
to spend Sunday with Miss Cline's
parents. Mr. Murphy will go up
Saturday and they will return Sunday
night.

FAMILY PARTIES AT THE CLUBS

THANKSGIVING dinners at the
country club and Decatur club
drew many people, and they were en-
joyable events. Quite a number of
families had family parties at the
clubs.

The Thanksgiving ball at the De-
catur club Wednesday night was
largely attended and was enjoyed by
young and old. The fall products
arranged about the rooms reminded
guests of the Thanksgiving season,
and made an appropriate setting for
the event. Refreshments were served
during the evening.

MISS ROBERTS WEDS DR. A. E. CAMPBELL

Ceremony Wednesday Night. Will
Make Their Home in Springfield.

Miss Carrie L. Roberts of Decatur
and Dr. A. E. Campbell of Springfield
were married at 6:30 Wednesday night
by Dr. W. H. Penhallogen in his
home, 157 Powers Lane. The cere-
mony was performed in the presence
of a few friends. The guests were
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roberts, Mr. and
Mrs. A. H. Mills, Miss Nina Decker and
Dr. S. E. McClelland.

The bride has been employed by
Dr. McClelland for a number of
years. Dr. Campbell is superintendent
out of the State Board of Health.
The couple left Wednesday night for
St. Louis. Following a short trip
they will make their home in Spring-
field.

THANKSGIVING AND BIRTHDAY DINNER

Celebrate Eightieth Anniversary of
B. E. Austin of Blue Mound.

A combined Thanksgiving and
birthday dinner with twenty-four
guests present was held at the home
of W. W. Austin, 1157 Cottage Hill
avenue, today at which the eightieth
birthday of his father, B. E. Austin,
was celebrated. Three sons
and two daughters were present as
was also a brother, T. J. Austin, and
wife, with their son, Floyd, of Ore-
gon. One daughter, who lives in Chi-
cago, was unable to reach Decatur
today.

Mr. Austin is one of the old set-
tlers who lives near Blue Mound and
he is widely known in two counties.

New Evening Frocks

Lee's *Correct Dress
for Women*
621 N. Water St. Decatur, Ill.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Now

After Thanksgiving—Then

Reduced Prices On Coats

\$80⁰⁰ \$115⁰⁰ \$165⁰⁰

A Saving of from \$20.00 to \$35.00 on Each Coat.

Coats of Peachbloom, Velours, Tinseltone, Silvertone, Fortuna, Chameleon Cord,
and a smart novelty or so.

Collared generously and stylishly in such furs as nutria, sealine, squirrel and fox.
In as many varieties of styles as there are coats, including all manners of fancy
plaiting, stitching, self-folds, unexpected turns of "trick" tailoring.

Satin lined throughout, plain or fancy; and warmly interlined and padded.

Browns, blues, taupe and tans.

Featuring Coats For Little Women

Very special values at **\$75** With or without fur trimming

There are coats of Suedine, Plushes, Silvertone, Baffin
Seal, Velour de Laine, Suede Cloth, Bolivia, Chameleon Cord.

Stunning new coats that combine styles with moderate prices—appropriate
and specially designed for the "Young-sex" and Little Women—with the
proper sleeve length, skirt length, waist length—requiring no alterations;
different from the ordinary and highly desirable for the "Smart Set."

Fine Coats At \$37.50 and \$57.50

Materials are:
—Frost-glow
—Evorns
—Cheviots
—Fur trimmed coats
—Coats without furs
—Bolivias
—Velours
—Broadcloths
—Silvertones
—Tinseltones

Nothing is lacking to make this one of the best coat sales of the winter. The materials are luxurious, soft,
rich, beautiful, that tailor so splendidly, that give such a subtle inference of quality. The linings are
GLORIOUS. No other word so adequately describes them. All the wanted colors—staples and the newest
shades—are represented.

Half Price Sale of Millinery

All Pattern Hats Included

For Instance—

All \$10.00 hats, choice \$5.00
All \$15.00 hats, choice \$7.50
All \$25.00 hats, choice \$12.50
All \$35.00 hats, choice \$17.50

This sale includes every pattern hat in stock from the least
expensive to the exclusive patterns of great worth. Hats of
national reputation—such well known makes as Gage Hats,
Hyland Hats, Fisk Hats, Asher Hats, Gold Medal Hats. There
are large dress hats, turbans, chin chins, and pokes. Hats of
sealine, Hudson seal, gold cloth, brocades, squirrel and Hudson
seal combinations. Ostrich, French flowers, chenille orna-
ments, feathers and fancy pins used to display the modes to
best advantage. Colors include assorted browns, purple, sand,
red, green and black.

Women's and Misses

Dress Skirts

All Wool Skirts **1/4 Off** All Silk Skirts

This sale includes everything from smart inexpensive French serges
of little cost to the most exclusive models of great worth. Skirts for
every occasion, of every type, to meet every taste, whim and person-
ality. This event, being held so near Thanksgiving, is an excellent
opportunity to make selections for the holidays.

Materials are:

—wool serges —wool plaids —plain fantasi
—plain satins —victory cloth —plaid fantasi
—taffeta silks —velvets —fancy silks

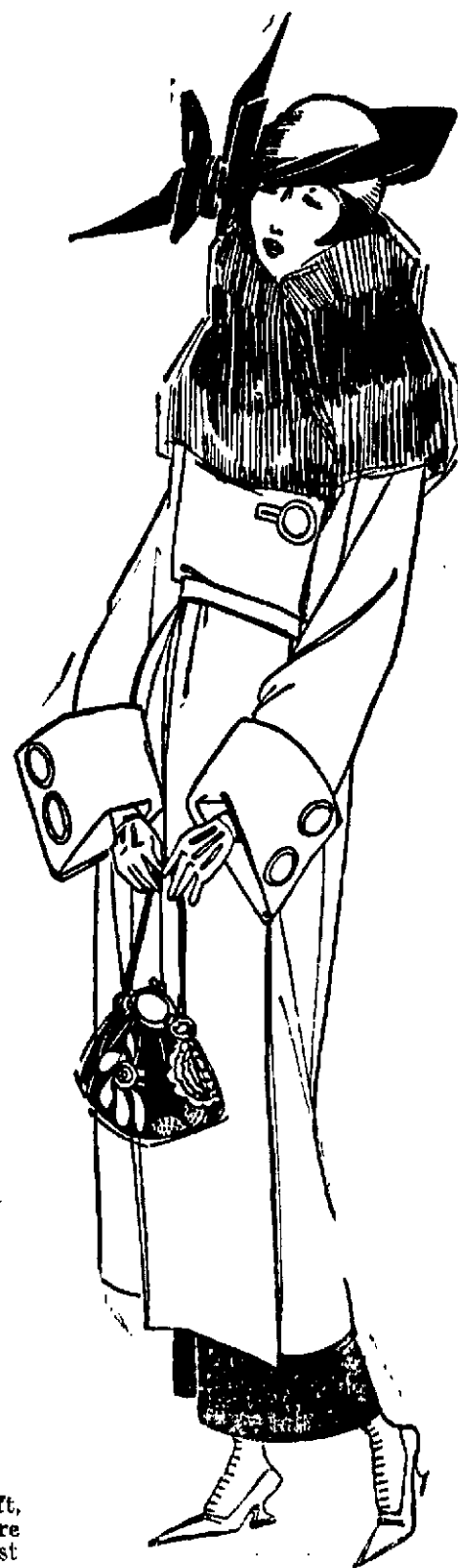
Featuring a Sale of

Georgette Blouses

Values up to \$15.00 **\$9⁰⁰**
Special at—

Blouses of Georgette and Crepe de Chine, made in the most bewitch-
ing styles. Some are in Russian blouse effects with embroidery
trimming, chenille, beading, fringe, lace and braid.

Some have panel fronts, heavily embroidered or
beaded in wonderful designs. The colors are varied,
many in fashionable Fall and Winter shades—excel-
lent to wear with coat suits or separate skirts.



KAUFMANS

Some Toppo Overcoats For Boys—

Have Just Been Unpacked

- Great "stuff!"
- Boys' overcoats built along the prevailing style lines for young men.
- Swagger belters, double breasteds and the like. Some are fur collared.
- We can fit them all in coats of all-wool, cold-resisting woollens that give you an unusual measure of value.
- For little fellows of 2 to 8 years, overcoats from \$6.50 to \$10.
- For boys of 7 to 12 years, overcoats from \$7.50 to \$25.
- For youths of 13 to 18 years, fine coats from \$12 to \$35.
- Suits, too, in all the smartest new style types, \$10 to \$35.



We remain closed
all day today for
Thanksgiving

Constipation and Sluggish Liver

Don't take chances. Get Carter's Little Liver Pills right now. They never fail to make the liver do its duty. They relieve constipation, banish indigestion, drive out biliousness, stop dizziness, clear the complexion, put a healthy glow on the cheek and sparkle in the eye. Be sure and get the genuine.



Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price
DR. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Nature's great nerve and blood tonic for Anemia, Rheumatism, Nervousness, Sleeplessness and Female Weakness.

See how much better you feel after taking a box of these pills.

BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS

Many thousands of old and young in their systems free from the daily consequences of constipation by taking Bliss Native Herb Tablets at regular intervals. Those who have tried Bliss Native Herb Tablets not only find relief from constipation but also find that their health is improved. Bliss Native Herb Tablets are not only a natural health tonic but also a general laxative. They are not habit forming and do not cause any of the usual troubles of other laxatives. Bliss Native Herb Tablets are put up in two sizes. The large sized box contains 20 tablets and the small sized box contains 10 tablets. They are put up in a box with a picture of a Native American on the front. The box is made of cardboard and is very attractive. The tablets are small and round and are very easy to take. They are put up in a box with a picture of a Native American on the front. The box is made of cardboard and is very attractive. The tablets are small and round and are very easy to take.

BANK ROBBERIES IN DOUGLAS CO.

Telephone Wires Cut at Murdock.

Tuscola, Nov. 27.—For the second time within a week small towns of Douglas county have been visited by bank robbers, the second being a successful attempt at robbing the vault of the bank of Porterfield Brothers at Murdock on Tuesday night. The safe in which the money is kept, was not molested, but the robbers burned a hole in the steel door to the vault with acetylene torches, and entering the vault broke open a number of safe deposit boxes, scattering their contents around. It appeared as if the thieves were looking for bonds. Only a small amount of actual cash was secured as there was only a little small change had been allowed to remain in the vault.

It is not known at just what time during the night the robbery occurred as the citizens of the town were not aroused and the visit of the robbers was not discovered until the bank was opened for business at the regular hour on Wednesday morning. It developed that all the telephone wires connecting Murdock with the outside world had been cut. The thieves also entered the C & W railroad station but secured nothing in the way of cash there.

AT CAMARGO
An attempt to break into the vault

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



HUM, I BELIEVE THAT LADY IS TRYING TO FLIRT WITH ME! I'LL SAY SHE'S SOME SWEET PATOOTIE AT THAT.

TOM PINNED A MEDAL ON HIMSELF TO SOON



HELEN THINKS I'M GETTING OUT OF DATE—SHE SHOULD HAVE SEEN THAT ONE GIVING ME THE ONCE OVER.

By ALLMAN



YOU TOLD ME THE OTHER DAY THAT I WAS NEGLECTING MY PERSONAL APPEARANCE—WELL YOU SHOULD HAVE SEEN THE BIG EYE THAT GAVE ME THE BIG EYE AT LUNCH TODAY—OH BOYS!

of the Camargo State Bank, at Camargo, six miles east of Tuscola on last Friday night was made but was unsuccessful. In this case explosives were used and the work was bungled, so that local talent is suspected. The thieves tried to blow open the masonry of the vault, using wet hose blankets to deaden the sound of the explosions.

GOOD PRICES AT SALE

The first farm sale of the season to be held in this vicinity was that of Edward Hutchinson, south of Camargo, on Tuesday. There was a good crowd present and the bidding was brisk. Mr Hutchinson sold all his live stock and farm equipment as he is moving to California. There were ten head of horses and mules sold, bringing from \$55 to \$170 per head. One small pair of mules brought \$800, and another pair only a shade larger brought \$385. About thirty-five head of cattle were sold, the milk cows going at from \$75 to \$187.50 each. About 86 head of stock hogs were included and the broad saws brought \$45 to \$55 per head. Eight stock sheep brought \$14 per head. Timothy hay sold at

request to be present at the coming wedding of their daughter. Mr. Iles expects to be away only a few days.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Will Sharp and daughter Mary Elizabeth, went to Indianapolis Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs. B. Z. Smith went to Latham, Ill. Wednesday for a Thanksgiving visit.

Mrs. Belle Warren's Sunday school class of ladies of the South Side Christian Church was entertained on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. George Renner on South Niles Avenue.

Robert Fletcher, star foot ball player on the University of Illinois team and four other U of I students, friends of Joseph Burris, were guests of Mr. Burris at Thanksgiving dinner in Tuscola. Mr. Fletcher came to act as an official in the Tuscola-Arcola high school game.

ASKS PERMIT

The Tuscola city council met on Tuesday evening. The local representative of the Standard Oil Company presented blue prints and specifications for a building that his company wishes to put up in Tuscola for a filling station, and asked for a building permit, though a could not state definitely as to just where the building was to be located, as that matter is contingent upon the ability of the Standard Oil Company to purchase the location they wish to acquire. There was considerable discussion and argument on both sides of the question of granting such a permit, without a location being definitely given. The permit was not granted but it is said that the matter will come up again at the next meeting.

James M. Morica left here Wednesday for Peoria where he expects to spend Thanksgiving with his daughter, Mrs. Clara Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy are spending Thanksgiving with the family of their daughter, Mrs. Grace Taylor near Bloomington.

Judith D. H. Wamsley, accompanied by his wife and little daughter, went to Chicago Wednesday to visit relatives.

Hughes Blake Smith of Newman, who is a student at the University of Illinois was here Wednesday afternoon between trains while enroute to his home.

Mrs. Sarah Brown, mother of Mrs. C. A. Vest of this city, Dr. Edith Brown Nicholson, sister of Mrs. Vest and her brother, Dr. Leo Brown, all of Charleston, are guests at the Vest home.

Mrs. J. R. Ten Brook and daughter Cecil went to Lawrenceville, Ill. Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Homrighaus.

Miss Wilma Cudusky of this city who is attending school at Sacred Heart Academy at Springfield is home for Thanksgiving vacation and gave a party for a number of friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cudusky on Wednesday evening.

Miss Nellie Taylor of this city, who recently returned from over seas where she did canteen work will leave here Friday for Sapulpa, Oklahoma where she has been employed as a teacher in the schools.

SHOT BY HUNTERS

Harvey Garrett and Fred Lewis of Hicklin who were starting to walk from that place to Garrett on Wednesday evening, along the track of the C & W Railroad, were accidentally shot and painfully injured by some men who were hunting in a field along the right of way. It is said that some quail were scared out of a clump of brush by the hunters, who fired at the quail with the result obscuring the boys from their view. Several of the shot struck the boys about their faces, making painful, though probably not dangerous wounds. The hunters, who were said to be Tuscola men accompanied the boys to their homes and called a physician.

Beauty Social.

St. Peter's A. M. E. church will give a beauty contest and social in the basement of the church this evening.



Beauty And Originality In Design—

Our December display of window lace embrace s the most elaborate designs and weaves. Here you will find creations to suit every decorative need.

We can save you money because of our large stock—previous to advanced costs.

Panel Nets

To treat a window, a room with panel nets gives it a character which any home would be proud of. The many different qualities in nets to be found here are interesting beyond mention—in price as well as quality.

Panel Nets of beautiful weaves and designs, ivory and ecru, \$2.75 per yard up.

Orinoka Unfadable Draperies—

Materials having this name are absolutely "The Best." You will find a complete line in many new and soft effects from which to select.

Curatins

Curatins by the pair for any room in your home—\$2.85 per pair up.

Sale Of High Grade Cretonnes

Real values in cretonnes of every quality are to be had from our Drapery department. We are selling them at the old prices—prices you used to pay before the "H. C. L." came upon us. Now is your opportunity to "dress up" your home at a small expenditure.

A visit to our store and you will agree "they are unusual values."

\$1.10 to \$1.20 cretonnes, special 55c
35c to 55c cretonnes, special 65c
55c quality cretonnes, special 75c
75c quality cretonnes, special 85c
85c quality cretonnes, special 95c
95c quality cretonnes, special 1.00
1.00 to 1.20 cretonnes, special 1.10

Fine Rugs—In Every Quality—Every Size

Rugs should be carefully chosen. No other article of housefurnishing gives such warmth and color and artistry of home environment, if you choose them wisely. Rugs of superior quality are never expensive—the service they give make them truly economical.

Today we offer American made rugs, which for beauty of color, character of weaving and quality of materials probably excell others.

9x12 Axminster Rugs \$47.50
9x12 Seamless Velvet Rugs \$48.50
9x12 Brussels Rugs \$51.50
11-3x12 Brussels Rugs \$49.00
11-3x12 Axminster Rugs \$67.50

French Wilton Rugs

The happy combination of marvelous designs, rich colorings and of long-fibred excellent yarn renders these excellent floor coverings the most desirable for homes of refinement.

The FREE

Sewing machine will make a wonderful gift for your wife. She has no doubt wished for one many times. The Free is absolutely guaranteed for life. Many models for you to select from.

CONVENIENT CREDIT TERMS



A Bissell Vacuum Sweeper, used regularly in your home, will cause your rugs to give you much better and longer wear. It will clean much easier, save you a great deal of hard work. Prices range from \$6.36 up.

Bachman-Bros & Martin Co.

For every window in your home
For the dining room, for the nursery, for the bedroom, Bachman makes the window shade that is really economical.
Ordinary window shade material cracks and breaks. But Bachman will stand twice as much hard wear, lasts twice as long.
Come in and let us show you these shades.

The Charlotte

"Smart Women's Wear"

Warm Serviceable

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Special at

Wool Velour
Velveteen
Zibeline

\$25

Chinchilla
and
Novelties



Select early while the assortments are complete.

Week-End Special in Dresses

\$19.75

Satins
Jerseys
Serges
Charmeuse
Taffetas
Georgettes

In All the Wanted Colors

The Early Christmas Shopper Will Find the Charlotte Special Offers Will Make Excellent Christmas Gifts

SEND OUT SALARY QUESTIONNAIRES

Teachers Asked to Give Opinion.

A salary schedule questionnaire was submitted to the board of education Tuesday afternoon by Superintendent Knutson and was Wednesday morning sent out to every teacher and principal in the schools. It is understood that the answers returned will serve as the basis for a new salary schedule for the Decatur schools. The new schedule will apply next year.

The salary schedule that has been in force for six years has been completely out of date without being revised and revised. The superintendent expresses the wish that teachers in the Decatur schools be given a larger voice in the matter of fixing salaries. The questionnaire is designed to do this, and also to impress upon them the factors usually considered in fixing a just schedule.

SIXTY-SEVEN PAGES.

The questionnaire is a voluminous document filling several local-size pages. The factors that are to be considered are called to the attention of each teacher. They are: education, experience, type of position, supply and demand, sex, degree of efficiency, cost of living, available educational funds, other factors. The teacher is asked to check each of these that she would consider.

The body of the questionnaire is

taken up with a detailed study of these factors. As for example:

SOME QUESTIONS.

Which should receive the higher salary—a senior high school principal or a junior high school principal? How much more? Why?

A junior high school principal or an elementary school principal? How much more? Why?

An elementary school principal or a supervisor of a special subject? How much more? Why?

A junior high school teacher or a senior high school teacher not in the junior high? How much more? Why?

A high school teacher of practical or technical subjects or a high school teacher of academic subjects? How much more? Why?

MEN AND WOMEN POSITIONS.

What types of position should be held by men only? Why?

What types of position should be held by women only? Why?

If you were employing the teachers and could not fill a vacancy in a given position with a salary offered in accordance with the schedule, tell what you would do.

Should inferior service be recognized by a lower salary than the normal? What effect should quality of the service have on salary?

Is the scarcity of teachers in a given line a just reason for paying higher salaries in this department? These questions are taken at random. There are many more and it is certain that a teacher will give some serious thought to salaries other than their own before completing the questionnaire.

SUES FOR \$10,000 FROM ARCOLA H. S.

Arcola, Nov. 27.—The Arcola Township High School has been made defendant in a \$10,000 damages suit by John Q. Rich, through his father, E. B. Rich. The suit is based on injuries received while John was working in the manual training department at the school and had a finger or two tipped off by a big power saw. The accident happened on Saturday morning when a number of the boys were at work in the manual training department, finishing up some pieces of furniture. One of the teachers was present in the room at the time, but according to the school authorities the boys were at work solely of their own volition.

A suit on the same complaint is also directed against the members of the Board of Education, but the old board is named in the suit and not the present personnel of the board.

IVESDALE.

A box model will be given in St. Joseph school hall Saturday evening, Nov. 30. The Maple Creek Creamery station has been moved into the Camp elevator building and will be in charge of Mr. Tinkham. Miss Marie Marshall is attending the state's business college in Decatur.

Mr. Drake of Danville was a business visitor here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. John A. J. Jr. is ill.

Mrs. Mary Hines went to St. Mary's hospital, Decatur, on Saturday for medical treatment.

Miss Mary Criswell of Decatur spent Sunday with her sister, Catherine.

Mr. Nelson DeHoff visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Tabaska, Sr., went to Jackson Saturday for several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Johnson.

Miss Lask, Ralph Rose and C. C. Lawrence were present at the Monday evening meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tabaska returned from Chicago Tuesday where they attended a banquet given in the Northern hotel by members of Decatur Hospital

No. 37, to which Mr. Tabaska belonged while in the service.

Mrs. Wade Aldrich is on the sick list. A large audience saw "Habesha of Sunnyside Farm" at the Liberty Theatre, Sunday evening.

Miss Jessie Sims of Danvers spent the week-end with Mrs. Ernest Standart.

Thomas Schmitt made a business trip to Decatur Saturday.

J. A. Kuyler of Toledo visited in Ives Sunday.

Philip McGuire of Decatur spent Sunday with his sisters, Misses Mary and Margaret McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Albrecht of Toledo visited Sunday with the latter's aunt, Mrs. S. J. Hies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stout and Mrs. Crin spent the day at Sadorus Sunday.

Miss Nichols of Tulsa, Okla., arrived Saturday for a visit with Leslie Marsh. The boys were friends in the army.

Mr. Drake will be given in the A. O. H. hall Thanksgiving night. Music by Laveway's orchestra of Champagne.

Will Anderson is preparing to open a pool and billiard hall in his barber shop soon.

OREANA.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hirsch died at the home southwest of town, Saturday. The child was three days old.

The members of the K. of P. lodge enjoyed a fish fry in the lodge rooms Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atkins of Argenta were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bullock and family visited Sunday in Decatur Sunday.

Harry Liebenberger of Decatur was the guest of his mother here Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Johnson of Girard preached at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening.

Will Underwood and Gerald Underwood of Decatur were visitors here Sunday afternoon.

W. C. Turpin, Mrs. Oliver Gould of Decatur and Miss Elizabeth Turpin of Champagne were Sunday guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Turpin.

BURGARS ABROAD.

Burgars visited this community two

nights last week. John Likin's house was entered on Tuesday night and J. G. O'Leary's store on Wednesday night. They entered the store through a basement window.

OELAND.

Mrs. E. N. Cathcart received word Tuesday of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Helen Keeler of Monticello. Mrs. Keeler was quite aged and died very suddenly. She was a former Doland resident. Her husband is ninety years of age.

J. I. Adams and family of Elliott and H. S. Block of Centerville, Ind., will spend Thanksgiving at J. S. Block's.

Mrs. M. E. Miller was operated on at the Mayo Bros. hospital in Rochester, Minn., Monday for tumor.

The W. P. M. Society of the Methodist church will meet Friday with Mrs. Joyce Porter.

Miss Margaret Kraft of Clinton is a guest at J. S. Block's.

Mrs. G. Connor has returned home from Springfield.

Will Carrier and family of Urbana, and Mrs. C. M. Carrier of Urbana are guests of Mrs. Sarah Carrier and Bert.

Mrs. Spanghour and children of Marion are guests of Warren Jones and family.

Roland Block will have charge of the singing at the Weldon M. E. church commencing December 1.

Curd His RUPTURE

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got a sample of cure without operation. It was a sample of cure without operation. I was cured. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a sample of cure without operation. If you write to me, Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 4209 Marcellus Avenue, Kansas City, Mo., I will send you the sample and show it to any other who are ruptured. You may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.

LOOSEN UP THAT HEAVY COLD

Go after it right away with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey

THE person who once gives this nationally popular cough and cold relieving medicine a fair opportunity of proving itself, becomes a convert. He learns how really beneficial its healing and balsamic antiseptics are in helping relieve a cold, cough, grippe, bronchitis, hoarseness. He finds out how promptly it assists Nature in effecting a complete eradication of phlegm and inflammation and congestion.

Today—right now—get an economical bottle at your druggist's. It will be a well-paying investment. 30c., 60c., \$1.20.

Dr. Bell's
Pine Tar-Honey
for Coughs and Colds

PODOX for Young and Old Folks

A pleasant, effective treatment for every family. Promptly relieves the bile flow and overcomes constipation. Po-Dox acts smoothly, pleasantly on the most stubborn bowels. Try it today. Give it to the children.

PODOX
LIVER AND STOMACH

NOTICE

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Next time you buy calomel ask for



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DENY CITIZENSHIP TO DEFIANT MINER

Taylorville, Nov. 27.—Petitions for citizenship made by foreigners were continued until the next hearing here Wednesday by Judge Ford in the circuit court. Twenty-three petitions were heard and five were denied for various reasons. In the case of one miner, the ruling was made that the man be denied his citizenship because he had told the court that he would not obey the injunction of Judge Anderson and would not return to his work until the strike was ended. The court held that this was in defiance of the Indianapolis in- junction and refused the petition.

The other four petitions were refused because the applicants had not previously qualified and had not im- proved his knowledge sufficiently to pass the tests required. One could not speak enough English to make his answers clear nor could he under- stand his interrogator. The man who was disqualified by his utterances was William Bennett. He is a native of England and comes from Stonington.

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LOVINGTON.
Among those who attended the funeral of the late Guy Brown, which was held Tuesday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Smith of Evansville; Mrs. Emma Brown of Minneapolis; Charles Brown of Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown and daughter, Doris of Hamilton; C. G. McCravy, Will Bailey and W. S. Shirley of Decatur.

The destroyed small barn belonging to Oliver Durham in the southeast part of town Monday afternoon. About a hun- dred dollars worth of hay and corn was destroyed.

Mrs. Blaine Maxwell and son, Robert, spent Monday in Decatur.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brown.

A daughter was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. J. H. Schmitt and Mr. and Mrs. James of Harris, Ill., spent Monday here with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davenport.

H. C. Kneary held a sale in Memphis, Tenn. Monday and Tuesday.

J. J. Jones is visiting in Peoria with his son, Will and family.

Mrs. J. M. Shepherd is visiting in De- catur.

Miss Ruth Johnson spent Sunday in De- catur.

R. O. Jones and children, Mary, Nellie and Owen are visiting relatives in Clinton and Warsaw.

Miss Schuchman to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dixon at home.

Dr. A. E. Wernburg made his usual house call to Hammond, Tuesday.

The Lovington teachers, who will spend

Thanksgiving vacation at their homes are: Miss Orr, Peoria; Miss Sims, Chicago; Miss Grace, Baltimore; Miss Mays, Dalton City; Miss Van Reld, Shelbyville; Miss Ruth Stein, Assumption; Miss Riser, Havana; Miss Nelson, Champaign; Miss Davis, Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Borbas spent Mon- day in Decatur.

Dr. and Mrs. Will Gore have returned to their home in Pontiac after a few days' visit here with relatives.

Thomas Cochran of Sullivan is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Mumma.

Robert Adams has gone to southern California to look after his farm inter- ests.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stoeck of Decatur is nursing Mrs. Floyd Manwarren, who is ill at her home in the east part of town.

MECHANICSBURG.
Miss Marie Lawrence, Catherine Clear, Augusta Johnson, Archie and John Hobson of Springfield, arrived Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lobdell. In the afternoon they in- tended to Nantico.

Miss Vina Rankins of Bolivia has re- turned home after spending several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hagaman and son Paul, have gone to Tulsa, Okla., to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Hagaman's sis- ter, Mrs. Georgia Eaton.

Mr. E. P. Hall will leave Wednesday

for Chicago with his fine black Angus cattle for the stock show. He has six carloads.

Madames Beale Dyerline and Grace Lobdell spent last week with friends in Springfield and attended grand lodge.

Mrs. Harry Leouts of Springfield last week, and attended the Rebekah Grand Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barrington and two sons, Edward and George, of Springfield, are visiting Mrs. Barrington's parents, Rob- ert Short and wife.

Mrs. Grace Lobdell spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. Augusta Hobson of Springfield.

Rev. and Mrs. Jones are parents of a baby boy born Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lemons and James Kennedy gave a dance in Buffalo hall last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Lobdell and daugh- ter, Pauline, were Springfield shoppers on Tuesday.

Madames Lisle Lemons, Flora Mor- gan, Ella Reed and Grace Lobdell and Miss Katie Deak spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Dora Farmer.

Miss Edwina Hall and girl friend of De- catur, spent several days with Edwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hall.

Miss Pauline Grace was a Springfield caller Saturday.

Little Miss Jane Jane Bricker, who has been at the Springfield hospital for sev- eral days, is able to come home.

The Brotherhood club and the Ladies' Brotherhood club will give a soci- ety at the Christian church next Tues- day night. The invitations will be sent

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Moluline Face Powder 25c	A. D. S. Cream 25c 40c	Melba Rouge (Dry) 50c				25c
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Elmyra Face Powder 50c	Blenda Cream 55c	Ashes of Roses 10c and 25c				25c
Excelsior Face Powder 65c	Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream 45c \$1.05	Luxus Rouge for 40c				25c
Freeman's Face Powder 25c	Ingram's Milkweed Cream 45c 85c					25c
Pineace Face Powder \$1.00	Kora Cream 85c					25c
Moluline Face Powder 50c	Rosmo Cream 60c					25c
Azure Face Powder \$1.50	Melba Gressless Cream 50c					25c
LaChino Face Powder 50c	Marinello Cream 50c					25c
Mary Garden Face Powder \$1.00	Nadinola Cream 45c					25c
Menon Eiscant Face Powder \$1.25	Orchard White 35c					25c
Marinello Face Powder 50c	Pompeian Night Cream 35c 65c					25c
Nadine Face Powder 45c	Pompeian Day Cream 45c					25c
Pussy Willow Face Powder 50c	Recamier Cream 90c					25c
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FACE CRISIS IN LOCAL SITUATION

Citizens Becoming Anxious Over Prospect of Closing Factories and Loss of Payrolls.

Decatur citizens are ever increasing numbers are asking if Decatur must shut down all its industries, close up its stores and go into a condition which dispatches indicate as that existing in Vienna where the supply of fuel is so short that necessities are made for the use of the small supply of gas whereby half the population gets its noon meal at 11:30 and the other half uses the gas at 12 o'clock.

There is no use dodging the fact. This city is facing a shut down of all industry, the cutting off of all pay rolls, the ending up of the resources of the citizens while the debate goes on at Washington.

SITUATION CRITICAL. Men who worked on the fuel situation during the war period here, men who are conservative and careful in their estimates and their talk, are looking the facts squarely in the face and they say without hesitation that the situation here is much more serious than at any time during the war.

Efforts to bring about a local adjustment so that there shall be no suffering here, no needless suffering at least while the round table discussion goes on at Washington, seem to have temporarily failed.

There has been considerable discussion of the suggestion of getting out of work under a plan which would protect everything against infringement on one's rights, present or prospective, and would re-establish something like normal conditions.

No one connected with the negotiations now under way will talk about them but it is generally believed that with the operators ready to start at any time and with a very large proportion of the miners of the same way of thinking that something may be done to bring about the return of coal here soon.

Meanwhile the closing down of factories will come quickly now if mining is not resumed.

WOOD TO BECOME POPULAR FUEL

Muellers Offer to Allow Timber Cut.

Decatur people are looking into the possibility of burning wood again. With the modern conveniences of furnaces and gas stoves the wood burning solution of the fuel problem is not so easy as it once was.

"But wood will keep us warm even if it does take much of it and the cutting out of dead trees in timber tracts, orchards, or yards could be done now with considerable profit."

"We can at least keep from freezing if we must go back to old time methods" said one Decatur man who had burned wood when he was considerably younger than he now is.

IN RIVER BOTTOM. There are many acres of timber along the Sangamon river bottom where much fuel could be secured if absolutely necessary driven up to it.

Speaking of this subject, Adolph Mueller of the H. Mueller company said:

"Should anyone desire to go on our land and cut firewood they can do so, providing of course, they come to us and get permission. Doubtless there are others having timber in the river bottoms who would be glad to help out, providing people needing fuel want to help out themselves."

COAL FOR SICK. Mayor Ischertner succeeded in getting four more cars of emergency coal Wednesday afternoon. Three of these cars were set Thursday morning at the North Main street crossing of the Wabash. About three cars were distributed among the families without fuel Wednesday. Many more were served today.

At noon Wednesday there were twenty-five orders on the book at the city yards on which physicians had signed statements that there was sickness in the families ordering the coal. Such orders were given first attention.

Word was received that St. John's parochial school had only enough coal to last a day or two, and arrangements were made to furnish a small supply to that school.

BILLY WALDEN HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

Six Year Old Boy Badly Bruised - Suffering Much Pain.

Billy Walden, six year old boy residing in the Syndicate block, was struck and severely injured by an auto driven by John Delbridge in East William street, just east of North Main, about 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The boy was on his way to a store for his mother and Delbridge was turning off of North Main street, into East William street. First examination showed the boy badly bruised and some teeth knocked out. He suffered much pain Wednesday night but it is not thought his injuries will be fatal.

MRS. J. T. WILCOX'S FATHER SUCCEUMS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilcox were called to New Berlin, Ill., Thursday morning by the death of Mrs. Wilcox's father, John McMillan. Mr. McMillan had been making his home with another daughter Mrs. Kitty Wilcox for a number of years.

RAILROADS SECURE COAL FROM EAST

Eight Cars Arrive to Help Out Wabash.

The Wabash and Illinois Central will keep on running trains through here if they continue to have the success in getting coal. Just as the storage pile of the Wabash here gave out, eight cars of nice new, fresh coal, arrived from somewhere in the east, coming off the Lackawanna road.

The first of this coal started going into engine tanks here Thursday. It is understood that a moderate supply has been arranged for an unit continue to come through so that the road can run all scheduled trains.

I. C. SUPPLIED.

The Illinois Central is getting some at Clinton, too, it is said. Last Sunday, they still had about two days supply of storage coal but they are still running the trains. While this coal is said to be not exactly a hard coal, yet it is different from the soft coal generally used in this region and makes a very good fire. Illinois Central firemen have been notified to watch their fires closely and keep them clean as the coal will be hard on the grates. Mines in Virginia, Pennsylvania and Kentucky are said to be furnishing this supply.

FELL DOWN STEPS; BADLY BRUISED

Gable Lukins Laid Up in St. Mary's Hospital.

Gable Lukins fell down a flight of steps Wednesday evening at his home at 17 North Broadway, across from the No. 1 coal shaft, and was badly bruised, but not seriously injured. He was taken in Moran's ambulance to St. Mary's hospital. This morning he was getting along nicely. No bones were broken.

Wedding's

Miss Lela Silkwood of Decatur and Claude Bush of Clinton were married at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. F. A. Havighurst in the parsonage of the First Methodist church. They were attended by (Clever) Bush, a brother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Myrtle Silkwood, mother of the bride, and Thomas Rigby of Decatur.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Bush. Until recently she was employed by the Decatur Dairy company. Mr. Bush is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Bush of Clinton. He is employed at the Millable Iron Works. After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in the Madison building.

MANLEY-BELCHER

Miss Lela Manley and Thomas C. Belcher were married at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon in Rev. Freeman A. Havighurst in the parsonage of the First Methodist church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Manley of Bloomington. Mr. Belcher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Belcher living three miles east of Vernon, Ill. The couple will make their home on a farm near Vernon.

MORENO-SALOGA

Miss Margaret E. Moreno and Fred A. Saloga were married at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Moreno, 1735 North Illinois street. Rev. Robert Heyne will perform the ceremony. They will be attended by Miss Minnie Metzger of Winona, Miss Mary Koshinski, William Moreno and John Saloga. The decorations will be carried out in pink and white.

Following the ceremony the guests will be entertained with a reception in the home of the bride. There will be more than 100 guests. Miss Metzger will be the out of town guest.

RE-ELECT MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE

Red Cross To Name General Officers Soon.

All members of the executive committee of the Red Cross were re-elected at the annual election which took place at the office of the secretary Wednesday. The committee consists of the following: Robert Mueller, C. H. Lyon, A. M. Kenney, H. C. Schaub, Miss Mary Love, Mrs. Inez J. Bender.

The executive committee will soon meet to elect the general officers of the chapter.

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Local Notices

ROAST TURKEY. The Elks club will serve roast turkey dinner to their members Thursday noon and evening.

Hours, 12 to 2 p. m., and 6 to 7:30 p. m.

The Moose will give a dance tonight from 8 till 12 p. m. White's Orchestra, Admission 80c.

THANKSGIVING BALL

New England Hall Thursday, Nov. 27.

Hours, 8 to 12 p. m. and 8 to 11 p. m.

CHURCHES OBSERVE THANKSGIVING DAY

Services Held This Morning and Tonight.

Union Thanksgiving services were held Thursday morning at the James Millikin university and in the First Christian church. A number of other churches will hold meetings Thursday night. There will be another union Thanksgiving service Thursday evening in the East Park Baptist church with Rev. H. D. Baughner as speaker. His subject will be "Properly the Gift of God."

AT J. M. U. CHAPEL

Rev. J. C. Todd, pastor of the First United Brethren church, preached at the Thanksgiving services in the Millikin chapel Thursday morning. His subject was "The Power of Appreciation." He said that there were many things during the past year, such as strikes, coal shortage, influenza and labor conditions, for which one could not be thankful, but there are things such as good crops, checking of the influenza, and the work on the housing conditions, for which people can be thankful. The blessings of good and honest and friendly are things for which one can be thankful and which are not dependent on changing conditions.

Rev. F. A. Havighurst presided at the service. Rev. C. E. Jenny read the president's proclamation. Rev. Frank Fox led in prayer and Dr. Hoster read the scripture lesson. There was special music by the university double quartet and solos by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lappart.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL

Rev. David Clark Tenney preached a special Thanksgiving sermon at the St. John's Episcopal church Thursday morning. The choir furnished a special musical program.

SECOND U. B. TONIGHT

Rev. J. C. Todd will preach on "The Value of Life" at the Second United Brethren church, 7:30 Thursday night. There will be a special quartet music and a solo by Walter Tiek.

TAKE DOWN SERVICE FLAG

Rev. Theodore Lohmann preached at St. Paul's Lutheran church Thursday morning on "Beware That Thou Forget Not The Lord Thy God." His sermon contained something on the work on the men of the church who were in the service and the service flag was taken down.

ST. JOHANNES

"The Right Celebration of Thanksgiving Day" was the subject of the Thanksgiving sermon at the St. Johannes Lutheran church Thursday morning by Rev. William Heyne. He said that on this day we should beget of our sins and be humble before the Lord. There was special music by a mixed choir. A collection was taken for the support of the seminary in Springfield.

SUNDAY OF MINERS

Rev. A. M. Wells, pastor of the Grace Methodist church, spoke at the Thanksgiving service in the First Christian church Thursday morning. His subject was "History and Prophecy for the Day." He said in part:

"The year has brought sufficient harvests to feed us all so that with proper distribution no man need be hungry. "Work, employment has been plentiful; all industries working at fever heat. All except the mining of coal. Here is the black spot of the year."

"From the standpoint of the third party, the bystander, and the dependent the Christian church must appeal to operator and miner alike upon the basis of patriotism and humanity to take up the task of furnishing the needs of the country. Public sentiment must insist that if miners and operators want the privileges of our citizenship they must serve the people."

At Nazarene Church

Rev. Julius Miller will preach at the West Side Nazarene church at 7:30 Thursday evening. There will be a solo by Mrs. Miller.

Chili Supper

The Ladies Aid society of the Sargent Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Charles Kolp, 639 South Broadway street, and decided to hold a Chili Supper Dec. 4 in the church. The following church members were named to take charge of the supper:

General chairman—Mrs. Jesse Cook Chili—Mrs. Charles Armstrong Coffee—Mrs. Charles Kolp Cakes—Mrs. Mildred Clendenen Pie—Mrs. Hannah Weaver

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting Tuesday afternoon by the hostess, Mrs. Kolp.

ORGANIZE PARENTS OF S. S. CHILDREN

First Methodist Sunday School Taking up New Line of Work. Believing that parents of Sunday school children as well as parents of the public school children should share the responsibility of child education, the parents of the children in the kindergarten department of the First Methodist Sunday school met at the church Tuesday night and after forming a parents' club elected the following officers:

President—Mrs. C. C. Cockrells First vice-president—Mrs. I. E. Ball Second vice-president—Mrs. Ed. Imboden Secretary—Mrs. Paul Hayes

SECOND MEETING

This was the second meeting of this sort that has been held at the church. Two weeks ago the parents of the Beginners department met and formed a similar organization. The parents of the Primary department will meet sometime before Christmas. Later all departments of the Sunday school will be similarly organized. This work is a new feature of Sunday school work.

There were about forty parents present, and as many children. A plan was made for the children to include a talk on the care of children of the pre-school age by Mrs. Sweeney, one on the work of the department and the opportunity of the parents.

NO HOUSES HERE WILL MOVE AWAY

Wabash Switchman Has No Place to Live.

E. E. Jenkins, Wabash switchman, stated Wednesday night that he would dispose of his household goods and move to Indiana, because he cannot get a house in which to move his family. He has lived in Decatur two or three years and never before had any trouble of that kind. Two months ago, he said, he rented the house in which he now lives, paying a reasonable rent for it, with the understanding that it would not be offered for sale this winter. The house is owned by a woman, who has just sold her own home and now demands possession of the house occupied by Mr. Jenkins and family.

AT PYTHIAN HOME

The sixty-five children at the Pythian Home had a big chicken dinner Thursday. Nothing special has been planned for the afternoon or evening.

ARTISTIC WORK AT D. M. C. RECITAL

Big Audience Delighted With Faculty Program.

A large and appreciative audience heard the concert given by William Erhart Snyder and Carl P. Matheson of the Decatur Municipal college last night in the First Presbyterian church. This was the first opportunity Decatur people had had to hear Mr. Matheson and highest tributes were paid to his beautiful singing. Seldom is such artistic work heard at a school program as was heard last night.

REMARKABLE SINGING

Mr. Matheson opened the program with an aria from "Tosca," following which he sang a group of very difficult oriental songs by Spross. His program also included a group of negro plantation songs, two Scotch and two Irish songs, and three other groups. Particularly noticeable was his splendid enunciation it being possible to distinguish every word, even in the remotest part of the auditorium. The police and finish of his singing was a delight to his audience and many were the expressions of appreciation, and hope that he would soon give another recital.

SPLENDID PIANO WORK

Mr. Snyder again demonstrated his ability as a concert pianist. It has been some time since Decatur music lovers have had an opportunity to hear him and he was greeted with hearty applause. His first number was the Beethoven Sonata Opus 81, No. 3, which he played with an intensity of feeling and a depth of interpretation that left nothing lacking. Later in the program Mr. Snyder played two McDowell numbers which were greatly enjoyed by his audience. Mr. Snyder closed his part of the program with the playing of the Polishes in E major by Liszt. In all of his playing he showed wonderful ease and from every musical standpoint Mr. Snyder charmed his audience.

FUNERALS.

HENRY MECHLING. The funeral of Henry Mechling was held at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the family residence, 740 East Roger avenue. Many friends of the family attended the services, which were conducted by Rev. J. L. McGiffin.

The music was furnished by Miss Dorothy Osborn and Miss Lucy S. Wheeler.

MORGAN JACKSON

The funeral of Morgan Jackson was held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at St. Peter's A. M. E. church. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Sydes, assisted by Rev. Mr. Bell.

The music was furnished by the regular choir of the church.

CALVIN G. BRADEN

The funeral of Calvin G. Braden was held at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon at the family residence, 584 North Franklin street. The interment will be in Fairlawn.

MILK MEN NOT TO BE PROSECUTED

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Assistant District Attorney Frederick Dickinson said Wednesday that the federal government did not contemplate prosecution of the Milk Producers' Association and the Milk Producers Co-operative Marketing Association for alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. He has been busy for several weeks examining a transcript of the testimony heard at the recent trial of officials of the organizations at which the defendants were acquitted on a charge of conspiracy to arbitrarily fix the price of milk. He said he had received no instructions to present the evidence to the federal grand jury.

WEATHER NO MAR TO THANKSGIVING

Most Dinners Served Without Turkey.

Though Thanksgiving day dawned cold and rainy, it was none the less enjoyable than this popular holiday has ever been. Family parties, always the rule on this occasion, were just as numerous as ever, and though probably not so many dinner tables were graced with the usual Thanksgiving day bird, they were not scanty by any means, and geese, ducks, chickens and rabbits proved just as popular and were just as much enjoyed.

SEND OUT BASKETS

Baskets containing Thanksgiving dinners were sent out Thursday morning to more than fifty families by the First Methodist Sunday school. Grace Methodist, First Congregational, First Baptist churches several of the schools and a number of individuals.

The names of the families were supplied by the Social Service bureau only in the week and it is felt that the dinners went to places where they were needed and where they were appreciated.

CHRYSANTEMUMS CHOICE OF MANY BUYERS.

Decatur florists sent many blossoms into other cities Wednesday, and all morning Thursday they were sending their trucks to all parts of the city with orders of both cut and plant flowers.

Chrysanthemums led in popularity although roses were a close second. The "mums" sold from a dollar to six dollars a dozen and it is astonishing how many persons bought the six dollar kind. The white, lavender and yellow varieties led with the white the strong favorite although the lavender colored were bought very freely.

The pom-pom chrysanthemums, the small blossoms in white and yellow were generally bought on the potted plants, the whole plant selling from a dollar to a dollar and a half each.

FARMERS INSPECT INFESTED FIELDS

See Damage Done by Hessian Fly.

Fifty farmers attended the demonstration in regard to the damage which Hessian fly may cause in wheat which Sidney B. Smith, county farm adviser, held at the Kizer elevator two miles north of Forsyth Wednesday afternoon.

In spite of the bleak north wind which swept the fields inspected the farmers saw with much interest and convinced minds the two fields picked out for observation.

One field was planted a few days before the date set as the fly free date in this locality. The other, just across the road, had not been sown until after that date. The first field was 100 per cent infested, the second field was free of the pest altogether.

Life's Lighter Hours

Given Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Hohart Marshall, who were married in Champaign Sunday, Nov. 23, came to Decatur Wednesday evening to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Marshall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marshall, 121 West Macon street. A charitable party of about twenty of their young friends surprised them by getting on the interurban at the railroad crossing east of the city. When the car arrived at the Gehardt block Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were forced to get off the car and after being placed in properly decorated automobiles they were taken on a ride about the city before they were taken to the home of Mr. Marshall's parents where a two course luncheon was served by Mrs. J. W. Marshall.

JITNEYS DRIVE OUT THE TROLLEY CARS

Lawrence, Mass., Nov. 27.—Trolley car service on local lines was suspended today by order of the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company, who declared that because of jitney competition, the street cars were being operated at a loss. Only two interurban lines were running and thousands of mill workers were obliged to walk or crowd into the many buses which were operating without license.

No fares are being collected by the jitney owners, but they accept free will offerings which they say amount to more than the regular fare.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

ELEVEN LICENSES. Whether the shortage of coal revived the old theory that two can keep warm with one fire, or whether it was just a little extra rustle of Cupid's wings, the result was the same. Eleven marriage licenses were issued by County Clerk Patterson Wednesday, and in years to come that many couples will look back to Thanksgiving day, 1919, when things are going their worst and say, "We can at least be thankful for the saving in coal."

WANT PARENTS

F. S. Woolsey of Augusta, Ga., has written the Decatur police asking for the address of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cherick, and saying, "It is very important on account of my daughter, Anna Belle." The police have not been able to locate any one by the name of Cherick.

BURNING FLIES.

Burning flies caused two more runs for the fire department Wednesday evening. The first call was to 223 North Morgan street at 4:30 p. m. and the second to 432 East Main street at 8 p. m.

SENSE 120

About 110 families have been served with emergency coal by the city Thursday. It is expected to have enough coal on hand to keep the transfers busy hauling it all day Friday.

SNOW ON CARS

Interurban cars from the north came in covered with snow Thursday morning.

GENERAL RUSH ON DECATUR FLORISTS

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CHILD GARDENERS DO FINE WORK

Washington, Nov. 27.—Children enlisted in home gardening under school supervision in the United States school garden army have produced, in the little more than a year the work has been in operation, food-stuffs valued at \$18,000,000, the Bureau of Education, Department of the Interior, announced today.

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STEPHEN LEACOCK WILL SPEAK HERE

City Club Secures Him for Jan. 16.

LINDSEY IN MARCH

Famous Judge Comes for Evening Talk.

Stephen Leacock, famous humorist and public speaker, a member of the faculty of the department of economics of McGill university, will be the next evening speaker for the City Club. Mr. Leacock will come Jan. 16 and there will be the usual dinner in the evening preceding the talk.

BEN LINDSEY COMING

Judge Ben Lindsey, the boys judge of Denver, probably one of the best known friends of boys on the bench in this country, will speak on the evening of March 23.

One of the most interesting of the noon-day luncheon speakers who have been recently announced is Capt. Louis Cohn, who will speak Dec. 12. Capt. Cohn is an American citizen who went into the French army before the United States entered the war and became an officer in the French artillery where he served on the staff.

General Mangin, going with that famous French general with the French army of occupation after the signing of the armistice.

TO SPEAK ON FRANCE

Capt. Cohn will speak on the French situation at this time with particular reference to the relations which should exist between that country and America now that the war is over.

Next Wednesday Robert Suttan, memory expert who spoke for five minutes at a noon meeting of the club recently, will be given the entire time for demonstrating his remarkable memory.

On Dec. 17 John Dill Robertson, health officer of Chicago, will speak before the club on municipal health problems.

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